Last chance to share a little happiness

Today is the last chance to send a little happiness to 500 of Greater Victoria's neediest families.

The Colonist 500 Christmas Fund, now in its 21st year, cannot accept donations after 5 p.m. today because the cheques for what the Victoria Christmas Bureau has found to be the most deserving cases must go out Thursday.

Real estate receiving offices should have their final contributions in by 3 p.m. today.

Money can't buy most of us happiness, but it can be a warming gift for families who will be on the receiving end of the generosity of contributors to the 500 Fund because most of them are in dire financial straits. And that's no way to be at Christmas.

Most recipients who write to thank donors to the fund say the money has been spent on food for the Christmas table, or on presents for the little ones. However it goes, the money brings a little light and hope into homes that otherwise would be bleak at Yuletide.

Contributions come from the most amazing places. For example, the penny tin at View Royal Volunteer Fire Department gave up its annual treasure of $31.06 in coppers, the C.O.S.Y. organization (city police-supported group called City Organization Supporting Youth raised $100 through dances, rock-a-thons, car washes and other efforts.

The 500 Fund

To match the salesmen's contribution, the Greater Victoria Real Estate Board donated $500, and Victoria Press business office chipped in $20.

Gordon Head and Quadra elementary schools both delivered cheques Tuesday from their fund-raising efforts, $125 from Quadra and $150 from Gordon Head; David Cameron elementary held a penny drive and raised $136.98, while Cordova Bay elementary chipped in $69.25.

B.C. Ferries pay office raised $395.50, while the Victoria Ladies Curling Club raised $34.

Donations may be made through the Victoria Press office at 2621 Douglas to postal code V8W 2N4.

In addition, Avis Rent-a-Car at 638 Humboldt and 1420 Quadra, are receiving donations.

Seventeen real estate offices throughout Greater Victoria are prepared to accept donations to the fund. They are:

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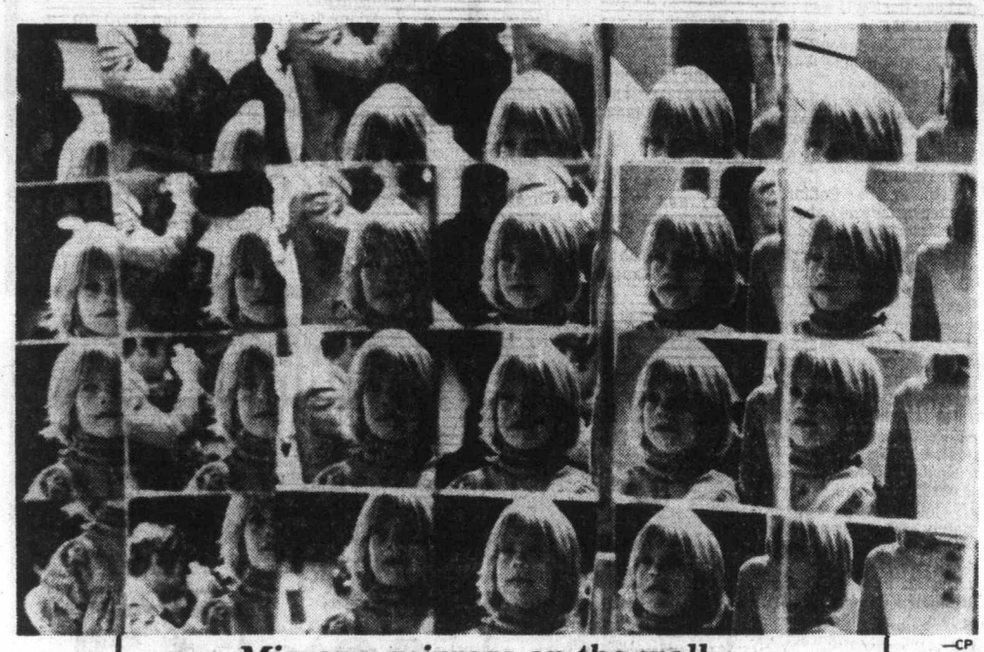

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Mirrors, mirrors on the wall . . .

Bryan McCrossan, 5, gazes at basic solar furnace made of dozens of mirrored squares during visit to Ontario Science Centre in Toronto. The furnace, part of energy exhibit, and Starlab, a small planetarium, were two displays opened by Ontario Premier William Davis Tuesday.

Bennett stalks CP over train pullout

'Go to cabinet if necessary'

By JIM HUME
Colonist Reporter

Premier Bennett Tuesday ordered provincial legal counsel to pursue "every avenue of appeal" against the latest Canadian Transport Commission ruling on the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway. *(See also Page 11.)*

Last week the CTC gave CP Rail permission to discontinue its Dayliner passenger run between Victoria and Courtenay, effective Jan. 31.

Bennett expressed anger and dismay at the CTC ruling and said he was requesting an immediate "stay" of the ruling pending an appeal which, he said, he will take through the courts to the federal cabinet if need be.

Having won the battle of the bridges earlier this year (CP Rail was ordered to repair two bridges north of Parksville at a cost of $2.2 million and to resume freight service to that point), Bennett said he had been confident the passenger service would continue.

He said his government would continue to battle CPR until a fair deal was obtained for the people of B.C.

"We have just began to fight," Bennett said.

He warned CPR that while all of the original land grant of 2.1 million acres (1½ times the size of the province of Prince Edward Island) connected with the E&N had been sold or transferred to CPR subsidiaries there was considerable land involved in a right-of-way between Osoyoos and Okanagan Falls in the south Okanagan.

In the fight, Bennett said, he wouldn't hesitate to claim the Okanagan land plus adequate compensation.

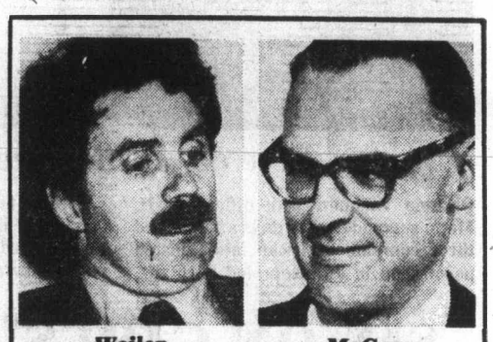
Between 1946 and 1974, the E&N netted $136,872,358 in timber land sales "for an area approximately equivalent to one-third of the total and grant," Bennett said. "If one third of the land grant yields $136 million, then possibly the sale of the whole land grant has yielded in excess of $300 million."

Bennett said he was confident the CPR did not lose money on its entire Vancouver Island operation but instead showed a substantial profit.

"The company has not released detailed accounting on the E&N operation since 1928, Bennett said. "They keep telling us what they lose on the passenger service, I wonder when they are going to tell us what they make on the freight?"

Up to 1928 the CPR always made public a set of accounting books devoted exclusively to the E&N. Since 1928, the E&N accounting has been amalgamated with the general accounting of CPR making it impossible, without company cooperation, to ascertain the E&N profit and loss picture.

The premier noted that the last big land sale involving the E&N took place in 1969 when 86,000 acres were sold for $12.9 million. "The income that could be derived from that one sale alone would be more than enough to offset the annual losses of the passenger service — with more to spare," Bennett said.



Weiler . . . rejects claim | **McGeer** . . . union remarks

McGeer must face charges, board rules

VANCOUVER (CP) — Paul Weiler, chairman of the B.C. Labor Relations Board, has rejected Education Minister Pat McGeer's claim that the board has no jurisdiction over him because of parliamentary privilege.

The ruling, made public Tuesday, said McGeer must answer to union charges before the board that he committed unfair labor practices.

Weiler said unfair practice complaints were laid against McGeer and other department officials in connection with statements made regarding the faculty union at Notre Dame University in Nelson.

McGEER ORIGINALLY went to court for a ruling that the labor board had no jurisdiction, but recently dropped that case and sought a ruling that he has absolute privilege outside the Legislature.

Weiler ruled the Constitution Act of B.C. gave privilege only to statements in the Legislature. Weiler said his analysis of legal authorities here and in British common law made it clear that parliamentary privilege could not be applied in this case.

"These alleged comments simply are too remote from any proceedings in the provincial Legislature, either in terms of geography or of content," Weiler said.

HE ALSO SAID that "freedom of speech outside the legislative assembly is ultimately subject to some legal restraints, designed to protect the freedoms of other individuals.

"Typically, the law has been used to protect an individual's right to be free from defamatory comments injuring his reputation," Weiler said. "In this case, the law in question—section five of the labor code—protects the employee's right to be from heavy-handed intimidation, intended to influence him to give up his trade union.

Weiler said he would call a further hearing to reach a judgment on whether McGeer's statements made at Nelson "were the legitimate exercise of free speech on matters of public concern, or whether they strayed across the boundaries of wrongful coercion of union members."

Consumer to help Syncrude

OTTAWA (CP) — Legislation introduced in the Commons Tuesday gives the government authority to levy a charge of up to $1 a barrel on crude oil to help subsidize production of synthetic oil in Alberta.

But the energy department says it expects the charge "will not exceed 15 cents to 20 cents a barrel." That amount will add about half a cent to the price of a gallon of gasoline or heating oil.

The department makes no mention of when the levy will come into force, but presumably it will be needed by spring, when Syncrude Canada Ltd. begins production of synthetic oil from the tar sands of northeastern Alberta.

The department says the charge will be imposed on all crude oil refined in Canada, and on oil products imported into the country.

When governments were forced to step in during 1975 to save the $2-billion Syncrude project from collapse, Ottawa agreed to allow the company world prices for its products — currently about $4 above the frozen domestic price.

The legislation gives the government the power to make subsidy payments to refiners of Syncrude oil, in

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B.C. POLICE TO CARRY WADCUTTER BULLETS

Municipal police forces in British Columbia will be issued a new type of ammunition, Inspector Bill Nichol of the B.C. Police Commission said Tuesday.

Nichol said the wadcutter bullet has more stopping power, because it creates a bigger shock on impact, but is much safer than the round-nosed bullet now used, because it will not pass through targets as easily.

He said most police chiefs were happy with the change in ammunition and hoped it might save lives.

A standardization of regulations governing the discharge of firearms has also been introduced, Nichol said, adding that while the new regulations do not differ much from the old ones the forces now have one set of guidelines to follow.

The new regulations, made public in an order-in-council Tuesday, authorize the chief constable or a police officer designated by him to empower officers to carry, for a special purpose, firearms and ammunition different from those referred to in the government regulations.

Without such permission, special weapons are banned.

The regulations also set out the circumstances under which a policeman may draw and use his revolver. He may do so:

- Defending his life or the life of another person;
- Effecting the apprehension of a person whom he has reasonable and probable grounds for believing is dangerous;
- Giving an alarm or calling for assistance for an important purpose, where no other means can be used;
- Warning a person in order to gain control of a situation which the officer believes may result in death or serious bodily harm to any person.

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Newfies think U.S. tie 'fine'

HALIFAX (CP) — Newfoundland Liberal leader William Rowe said Tuesday he believed most Newfoundlanders felt the U.S. would be as good an alliance as confederation with Canada.

That attitude would probably not change no matter what Quebec did, Rowe told reporters.

Rowe said Newfoundlanders, when faced with the prospect of Quebec separation, first suggested it might be a good idea to get together with the U.S.

The newly-elected Liberal leader said there was no noticeable attitude about not co-operating with Atlantic Canada, but such co-operation wasn't the first thing that came into people's minds.

Fire sweeps space base, 3 dead

VANDENBERG AIR FORCE BASE, Calif. (AP) — Three men—including the base commander—were killed Tuesday as an erratic, wind-tossed brush fire burned across the Vandenberg rocket base.

Base commander Col. Joseph Turner and two unidentified men died fighting the 1,000-acre blaze as it burned quickly through hilly brushland and 150 kilometres an hour winds carried sparks to unburned areas.

A base spokesman, Capt. Leonard Brady, said Turner was leading firefighting efforts when he was killed.

Brady said the blaze, which initially threatened three space launch facilities in the southern part of the base, appeared to be burning past or around the structures as north to northwest winds sent flames toward the Santa Ynez River.

He said the fire started when the violent winds ripped loose a power line and sent a shower of sparks into the tinder-dry brush.

Turner's burned body was found near a space launch section at the base and the two other victims were found nearby, Brady said.

Because of poor communications from the mountainous fire area, it was not known whether any of the launch facilities—one of which contained a booster rocket—actually had been touched by the flames, officials said.

Brady said the concrete-and-steel facilities were flame-resistant.

The fire, of undetermined cause, started about 8 a.m. on the north side of Tranquillon Mountain, near Arguillo Point. Personnel and rocket fuel were quickly removed from the three threatened missile launch sites.

No missiles were in position on this western U.S. rocket range which is used for launching both U.S. and western European satellites.

Brady said rocket fuel was removed from some pads ahead of the fire. But at other pads the fuel was left in tanks.

Backs apartheid, minister sacked

CANBERRA (Reuter) — Prime Minister Malcolm Fraser today dismissed a new cabinet minister, Glenister Sheil, for openly supporting apartheid in South Africa.

Sheil, given the veterans affairs portfolio Monday following Fraser's overwhelming victory in the Dec. 10 general election, called for apartheid in Australia to allow the separate development of the country's native aborigines.

Sheil, in radio and television interviews over the last 24 hours, has reaffirmed his support of apartheid policies in South Africa and the white minority government in Rhodesia.

Full Mideast peace pact forecast 'in months'

United Press International

Israeli Defence Minister Ezer Weizman paid a surprise visit to Egypt Tuesday to confer with President Anwar Sadat and a top Egyptian negotiator predicted a "comprehensive" Middle East peace settlement would be reached "in a matter of months."

Weizman arrived secretly at the Suez town of Ismailia to confer with Sadat and Gen. Mohammed Gamassy, Egyptian war minister and armed forces commander, an Egyptian spokesman said.

Afterwards Weizman and Gamassy left by helicopter for an air base at Jianaklis, 25 miles south of Alexandria, for five more hours of talks and an overnight stay, the spokesman said.

Egyptian official sources said the Weizman-Gamassy talks centred on details of Israel's proposed withdrawal from the occupied Sinai desert. They declined to elaborate.

An Egyptian spokesman said the visit was part of a previous agreement between Israel and Egypt to lay the groundwork for Israeli Prime Minister Menahem Begin's visit next Sunday.

Nevertheless, Weizman's arrival took diplomats in Cairo by surprise. Egyptian officials said they did not know how long Weizman would stay but the semi-official newspaper Al Ahram said he would be returning to Israel today.

In Tel Aviv, Begin said Tuesday a separate peace settlement with Egypt might serve as a first step in the search for a comprehensive agreement.

"There is no failure if one treaty is signed after another," Begin said on return from a week-long tour to gather support in the United States and Europe for his plan.

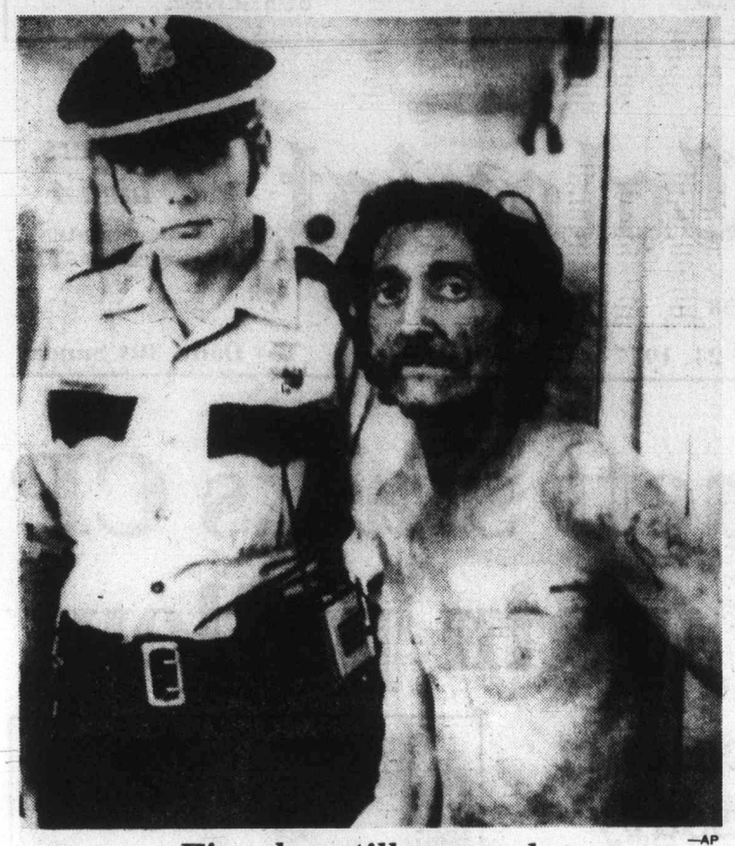
"If the agreement is signed with Egypt, before the negotiations begin with Syria, this is not the end of the process but the beginning. In the wake of the settlement with Egypt, settlements will be signed with the others. The goal is general peace."

Begin said his peace proposals won the support of President Carter and other officials in the U.S. administration as well as leaders of Congress and Prime Minister James Callaghan of Britain.

If the momentum toward peace continues, said Foreign Undersecretary Osama el-Baz, then "we can expect the Geneva (Middle East) peace conference to convene in a matter of weeks and a comprehensive settlement to be reached in a matter of months."

The Egyptian's optimism coincided paradoxically with stepped-up Egyptian criticism of the peace plan that Begin will present to Sadat when they meet in Ismalia Sunday for a Christmas Day summit.

Egypt's semi-official press said Begin's proposals fell far short of the Arab demand for the establishment of an independent Palestinian homeland.



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Five days till surrender

Orlando Vasquez, with officer L. H. Mars, surrenders five days after he and three companions broke into Houston pawn shop in an attempted burglary, according to police. The three companions were captured in the shop, but Vasquez fled to attic where he remained until his surrender Monday.

'Informal talks' aimed at pickets

By DON COLLINS
Colonist Reporter

Victoria representatives of the Telecommunications Workers Union and the Government Employee Relations Bureau are to appear before the Labor Relations Board in Vancouver this afternoon for "informal talks" concerning the picketing which has kept the provincial government switchboard closed since Monday morning.

Paul Weiler, LRB chairman, told the Colonist that the bureau, the government's bargaining arm, had asked to see if the matter could be resolved through informal discussions "prior to lodging a formal complaint."

It was the first hint of the province's desire to remove the TWU picketline which has kept 19 full-time and auxiliary government switchboard operators off the job. The government had given the impression it was ignoring the action on the basis that it was having no real effect on normal business. The main impact was on public inquiry calls and the special intercity dialing system for government employees outside Victoria.

The initial mild response from the government wasn't unexpected. By posting the pickets, the TWU was trying to force the province to become actively involved in resolving the dispute with the B.C. Telephone Co.

Labor Minister Allan Williams had already said the province didn't intend to meddle in something within federal jurisdiction.

Mediator Mike Collins, appointed by federal Labor Minister John Munro, held more talks Monday and Tuesday with the company and was scheduled to meet negotiators from both sides today. The union hasn't been involved in the talks since early last week. There were no indications of any progress at this stage.

The prolonged contract dispute with its limited job action became a province-wide lockout-strike Nov. 24. Some 10,000 TWU members remain off the job while approximately 2,000 supervisory personnel carry out the normal services.

The major issue concerns the contracting-out of work. In 10 days, it will be one year since the last contract expired.

Meanwhile, Weiler said in a telephone interview that today's discussion would revolve around the legality or illegality of the picketing of the Douglas Building, where the normally busy government switchboard is housed.

The union says the building, with its 4,000 lines, serves as an actual exchange and in normal times four B.C. Tel employees use it as their home base. For this reason, the union considers the picketing legal.

Arrangements still hadn't been completed by Tuesday for financial assistance of the telephone operators involved. They are members of the B.C. Government Employees' Union. The union's constitution doesn't provide for payment of members forced out of work by the action of another union. But informants said moves were being made to see that the operators didn't go without some kind of payment.

On Monday, TWU member John Alfred Madsen of Surrey was charged with attempted mischief in connection with an alleged plot to jam long-distance lines. Madsen is to appear in court Jan. 9.

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SIX ON GIRLS' TEAM DIE IN CAR PLUNGE

REXTON, N.B. (CP) — Six members of an all-star girls' hockey team on their way home from a victory Monday night died when their car plunged off a bridge into the frozen Richibucto River near here, police said Tuesday.

The girls were members of a team made up of players from nearby Richibucto and Ste Anne de Kent which had finished a game at Richibucto about one hour before the car crashed off the bridge and turned upside down before plunging through five inches of ice and trapping the occupants.

Police said it appeared the six, ranging in age from 14 to 20, had drowned. It was nearly four hours before the bodies could be recovered.

Skates, hockey sticks and other hockey equipment were found in the car when it was towed to shore by a boat.

A spokesman for the community arena said the area was shocked by the accident. "They were all fine young girls and good athletes," he said.

The victims were identified as Marie Rina Legere, 19; Diane LeBlanc; 14, Diane Richard, 18; Patricia Fontaine, 20; Rolande Jaillet, 19, and Marcia LeBlanc, 15.

The two LeBlanc girls were not related.

The arena spokesman said all six were in the same car because all lived at Ste. Anne de Kent.

A second car, carrying players from Richibucto, was following closely behind the death car.

A single funeral mass is to be celebrated for the victims at Ste. Anne Roman Catholic Church in Ste. Anne de Kent later this week, a funeral home official said.

Rexton is about 85 kilometres north of Moncton.

Protesting carollers arrested

JOHANNESBURG (AP) — Forty-four white South Africans clutching lighted candles sang Christmas carols outside the central police station Tuesday night to protest detention of blacks. They were arrested for contravening the country's Riotous Assemblies Act and continued singing as they were led inside.

The whites gathered outside the station to demonstrate support for more than 700 blacks now held under the white-minority government's tough security laws—many without charges or visiting rights.

Oil levy

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effect lowering its price to domestic levels.

The federal, Alberta and Ontario governments together put up rescue financing and took a 30-per-cent share in the company in 1975.

Three oil firms — Imperial Oil Ltd., Gulf Oil Canada Ltd. and Canada-Cities Service Ltd. — hold the rest.

A third oil-sands operation is now being considered by the oil industry, with Shell Canada Ltd. the likely candidate, and Imperial has applied to build a heavy oil plant in Alberta. Both could be eligible for the compensation payments.

However, the first of the oil sands plants — Great Canadian Oil Sands Ltd. — does not get the higher price. The government says that since it is already in production, it needs no additional aid.

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The Weather

Dec. 21, 1977

Cloudy with a few showers beginning in the afternoon. Winds occasional brisk easterly. Tuesday's precipitation nil. Sunshine 1 hour 48 minutes. Recorded high and low at Victoria airport 4 and —3. Today's forecast high and low 4 and —1. Today's sunrise 8:03, sunset 4:21. Moonrise 2:19 p.m., moonset 4:14 a.m. Thursday outlook: showers.

East coast of Vancouver Island — Cloudy with a few showers beginning in the afternoon. Winds occasional fresh southeasterly. Tuesday's precipitation nil. Recorded high and low at Nanaimo 3 and —5. Forecast high and low 4 and —5. Thursday outlook: showers.

West coast of Vancouver Island — Cloudy with periods of rain. Winds fresh to strong southeasterly. Forecast high and low at Tofino 6 and 1. Thursday outlook: showers.

North coast — Periods of rain except snow inland. Highs 4 to 8 along the coast except near —3 inland. Thursday outlook: rainshowers except snowflurries inland.

READINGS

	Max.	Min.	Precip.
St. John's	— 2	— 4	2.4
Halifax	1	— 1	—
Fredericton	— 2	— 4	—
Charlottetown	— 1	— 2	—
Montreal	— 1	— 5	—
Ottawa	— 3	— 6	—
Toronto	2	0	2.6
North Bay	— 4	— 5	—
Thunder Bay	2	1	1.4
Kenora	— 7	—11	3.6
Winnipeg	—10	—17	—
The Pas	—17	—20	—
Churchill	— 5	—17	—
Brandon	—15	—19	0.3
Regina	—19	—23	—
Saskatoon	—18	—25	—
Prince Albert	—18	—25	—
North Battleford	—16	—24	—
Swift Current	—12	—22	—
Medicine Hat	— 7	—17	—
Lethbridge	0	—16	—
Calgary	0	—16	—
Edmonton	— 8	—23	—
Cranbrook	— 6	—17	—
Castlegar	— 2	— 9	—
Penticton	1	— 2	—
Revelstoke	— 2	— 6	—
Princeton	— 7	—15	—
Vancouver	4	— 4	—
Prince Rupert	6	2	2.8
Terrace	— 4	— 6	—
Stewart	— 2	— 4	—
Port Hardy	6	4	—
Tofino	8	1	—
Comox	4	— 2	—
Prince George	— 6	—13	—
Williams Lake	— 5	—13	—
Mackenzie	— 8	—10	—
Blue River	— 8	—12	—
Kamloops	— 5	— 9	—
Dawson City	—31	—35	—
Whitehorse	—26	—33	—
Fort Nelson	—21	—27	—
Fort St. John	— 6	—18	—
Peace River	—12	—22	—
Yellowknife	—34	—37	—
Inuvik	—22	—29	—
Seattle	11	2	—
Spokane	— 4	—11	—
Portland	7	4	—
San Francisco	12	5	—
Los Angeles	22	10	—
Phoenix	17	4	—
Las Vegas	9	— 1	—
New York	5	2	—
Chicago	2	— 6	—

TIDES AT VICTORIA
(Tides listed are Pacific Standard Time)

	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.
19	00.45	6.0	03.00	5.9	10.00	8.9	18.15	3.8
20	01.30	6.6	04.30	6.8	10.40	8.9	18.30	3.3
21	02.45	7.2	05.30	7.4	10.50	8.9	19.05	2.8
22	03.00	7.4	06.00	7.8	11.20	9.0	19.40	2.4

TIDES AT SOOKE

	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.
19	01.50	5.4	09.20	9.3	16.55	4.4	23.10	6.2
20	02.00	6.1	09.55	9.5	17.40	3.7	23.45	6.5
21	05.30	7.2	10.20	9.6	18.15	3.1		
22	00.45	6.9	06.00	7.6	10.50	9.8	19.00	2.7

TIDES AT FULFORD HARBOUR

	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.
19	01.20	8.0	05.15	7.2	11.55	10.8	19.35	3.7
20	03.05	8.9	06.40	8.1	12.25	10.5	20.05	3.2
21	04.10	9.6	07.45	8.8	13.00	10.3	20.40	2.6
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Rev. Peter Cooper doubled size of his congregation in Gorleston, England, when he brought in his dummy, Charlie, to deliever sermons. He says idea was a winner because Charlie can deliver comments that might outrage parishioners if they came from minister. He didn't say what they were.

Quake toll feared 343

TEHRAN (AP) — Hundreds of people were feared killed in an earthquake that struck southeastern Iran before dawn Tuesday, devastating three isolated villages near the ancient walled city of Kerman.

At least 80 bodies were reported found, but some officials put the death toll at more than 300.

The quake hit at 3:36 a.m., catching most of the 5,000 residents of the villages asleep in their beds. Survivors fled their crumbling homes in freezing temperatures.

The Red Lion and Sun, Iran's equivalent of the Red Cross, gave the report that at least 80 bodies were pulled from the debris by nightfall. But government broadcasts quoting rescue officials said the death toll was at least 343.

500 injured

More than 500 persons were reported seriously injured and thousands were homeless.

The Red Lion and Sun reported the quake registered 6.2 on the Richter scale, but the U.S. Geological Survey recorded it at 5.5.

Government spokesmen said soldiers and other rescue workers were digging through the ruins by the light of kerosene lanterns Tuesday night in search of more bodies or victims trapped alive in the debris.

Seismologists in Mashad, in northeastern Iran, reported that another tremor, registering about 5 on the scale, struck at 10:30 a.m. somewhere 960 kilometres from Mashad. That could be anywhere on an arc through southern Iran or northward in the Soviet Union, but apparently not in the area rocked by the first quake.

Copters dispatched

The early-morning quake destroyed the villages of Bantangal, Gisk and Sarasiyab-bagh, in an arid region between the Lut Desert and the foothills of snow-capped Kooh-Kerman, one of Iran's highest mountains.

Shah Mohammed Reza Pahlavi ordered the armed forces in the area to help in the rescue efforts and hundreds of helicopters were dispatched from a huge helicopter centre in the central Iranian city of Isfahan, government spokesmen said.

Helicopters and military transport planes were flying tents, food, water, blankets, medicine and doctors to the stricken region. Small tent encampments were set up outside the villages for the homeless residents.

No French arms for South Africa

JOHANNESBURG (Reuter) — World pressure on South Africa's apartheid policies increased Tuesday, with Defence Minister Pieter Botha announcing that France would not honor some arms contracts.

Meanwhile, Canadian trade officials prepared to leave the country following Ottawa's decision Monday to wind down official support for trade with South Africa.

What arms South Africa would be denied by France, formerly a major supplier, was not immediately clear.

But Botha said all South African defence force personnel were to be withdrawn from France, where they had been making themselves familiar with the new equipment.

This implied that the French government had decided on a total arms embargo, regardless of unfulfilled contacts for attack submarines, destroyer escorts and missiles.

Two 1,400-ton Agosta-class submarines were on order from France. One was reported completed and ready to sail to South Africa.

Together, they would have raised South Africa's fleet of French submarines to five, although the three previously purchased were of the smaller Daphne class.

French shipyards were contracted to supply two 1,170-ton d'Estienne d'Orves-class warships. South Africa was also reported to have ordered an Exocet surface-to-surface missile system from France, with delivery due next year or in 1979.

Until last August, France had excluded heavy war material — including the Mirage fighters which are the main strike force of South Africa's air force — from its voluntary arms ban against South Africa. Then it decided to extend it to all defence equipment while still honoring existing contracts.

The UN Security Council's mandatory arms ban against South Africa in early November appeared to have convinced the French that they could not provide anything more, regardless of contracts, observers here said.

The whole issue is apparently so sensitive that defence headquarters instructed South African newspapers not to deviate from the wording of Botha's statement and to submit for clearance any extra matter they proposed to publish.

Canada's trade slap against South Africa is expected to cause little immediate damage.

On Monday, Canada recalled its commercial consuls in South Africa — the men whose main job was to seek new outlets for Canadian produce. It also said it would withdraw government support for Canadian companies trading with South Africa.

Canada may also drop special tariffs on South African goods.

Praise, anger mixed

OTTAWA (CP) — Government economic measures against South Africa, while mainly symbolic, have aroused the anger of Canadian exporters.

"It's a case of cutting off one's nose to spite one's face," said John Moore, secretary of the Montreal-based Canadian Export Association.

He said government support was not of major importance for exporting goods, but it might further discourage South Africans from buying from Canada.

"We don't agree with South Africa's policies, either, but cutting off commercial contact is not the answer," Moore said.

Canada had a substantial trade deficit with South Africa last year — importing $155.6 million in goods and exporting $96.3 million. The trade balance has been in South Africa's favor for the last five years.

Former prime minister John Diefenbaker said the Liberal government had made "a major policy blunder" which could result in driving South Africa more into the orbit of Communist-bloc countries.

An inter-church group that has been keeping an eye on corporate operations in countries like South Africa and Chile applauded the government move.

The Canadian move received commendation Tuesday at the United Nations.

The chairman of the Special Committee against Apartheid, Ambassador Leslie Harriman of Nigeria, praised "the commitment of the government and people of Canada to contribute to the establishment of a non-racial society in South Africa."

U.S. delays UN's budget

UNITED NATIONS (AP) — The United States on Tuesday demanded item-by-item votes on the UN budget because of what it called "extravagant and outmoded" programs, forcing the 1977 General Assembly to delay adjournment until today.

The U.S. request made it impossible for the Secretariat to prepare the necessary documents in time for action later Tuesday.

Rep. Lester Wolff, New York Democrat and member of the U.S. delegation, said the United States would abstain from voting on the proposed budget despite serious reservations about it, but would "seriously consider" voting against future budgets unless excesses were removed and salaries of UN personnel were kept "in line."

Wolff noted that the U.S. opposed as unnecessary items composing 40 per cent of the budget.

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1977

Charity begins somewhere else

SUCH IS THE CURRENT REPUTATION of Prime Minister Pierre Trudeau that few Canadians were surprised to learn that his government plans to do absolutely nothing to counter the nation's rising inflation and booming unemployment.

Apparently content to ignore the mounting pressures brought to bear on most taxpaying citizens through the increase of the consumer price index to its present two-year record high of 9.1 per cent annual rate, and utterly oblivious to the sad fact that 1,000,000 Canadians are unemployed, our Ottawa masters carry on regardless.

And "regardless" is the operative word. Regardless, for instance, of the fact that ordinary citizens are hard put to pay for the federal government's profligate spending habits, the Trudeau administration gives no sign that it is either ready or willing to curtail any of its extravagances.

Apart from excessive expenditures on various domestic programs which have in large degree proved of little benefit either to the nation or its people, the Ottawa spendthrifts are still determinedly pursuing costly charitable (for lack of a better word) overseas programs involving higher expense and lower living for the majority of Canadian families. While it may be that such enterprises might be thought to enhance the government's image abroad, their burden is an unfairly heavy one for Canadians to bear and their application in practical terms of assistance to undeveloped countries is open to question.

On a per-capita basis, Canada leads all nations in the western world in disbursing money for foreign aid, which — in light of our present economic situation — it probably can afford less than most.

Although the general figures of Canada's generosity are fairly well known, it is worth recounting a few of them at this time, including some of the startling totals. In 1975, for instance, Canada's Official Development Assistance (ODA) amounted to $879,680,000. However, this total did not embrace the full amount of other Canadian foreign aid costs for the year, such as certain grants, food programs, debt relief, etc. When all these other items were added the total reached $1,050,000,000.

Similarly in 1976, when the ODA figure of $886,550,000 is added to the other outgoing expenses, donations and grants we reach the grand sum of $1,213,000,000.

None of this, of course, touches on the 1977 program, part of which — such as the approval by Ottawa of a $1,200,000,000 grant to Algeria and the write-off of a $78,000,000 loan to Tanzania plus the clearance of another grant of $9,200,000 for that country — was mentioned by Ottawa columnist Richard Jackson recently on this page.

Yes, Ajman, Ibrahim and Njeroge, there is a Santa Clause. But his real name is Johnny Canuck. Ask Mr. Trudeau. . . .

How many today?

IT'S RATHER EXCITING to be a Canadian and not know from one day to the next just how many companies there are in which you have shares.

Last week the federal treasury board, in response to a request from Auditor-General J.J. Macdonell, proudly produced a list showing the government owns or controls 373 companies or "entities."

But wait. The next day Stuart Mensforth, deputy secretary of financial administration for the treasury board, advised that seven more companies had been found. Now the total was 380.

"Sometimes I wish you had never asked us to make up a list," Mansforth told the auditor-general, with a certain charming candor.

He said the treasury board is discovering that government-owned corporations have subsidiaries, sub-subsidiaries and affiliates spawning more subsidiaries.

Macdonell, who has already criticized Crown corporations for "weak and ineffective" controls over spending practices, was appearing before the Commons public accounts committee. He was arguing that all federally owned or controlled companies, once they are identified, should have the same strict accounting rules that private companies must follow.

Nothing to argue about there. The problem appears to be getting an accurate count of all those children of government. Then we should find out how many are legitimate.

Richard Jackson

A better question: what hasn't Joe done?

OTTAWA — Well, the Liberals, a little less smug now that they're slipping a few notches in the public opinion polls, are back to asking their tired old question: "What's Joe Clark ever done?"

It's the typical smart-alec type question that the "power-is-everything" Liberals like to ask in assuming it invites its own answer: "nothing."

True to the extent that, not holding power he hasn't been in a position to do much.

But he has come up with a few ideas, which is more than the Liberals have been doing in standing around shrugging their shoulders and asking, painfully, "Who, us?"

Joe Clark says he wants to reduce inflation by scaling down the rate of growth of the money supply.

He wants to strengthen productivity by restraining the giantism of government.

He intends cutting federal sales taxes on certain products like building materials to create jobs.

He plans tax credits or a rebate scheme to encourage industry to invest in research and development.

That's but a partial list of things Joe Clark is committed to doing once the Conservatives are in power.

They're called "policy inventives," the very thing the Liberals accuse him of not producing.

Granted, none of them are particularly original, none of them sensational.

But at least they're something, which is more than you'll find in the Liberal vacuum of policy in which the economy, the dollar and perhaps even the very country itself, is sinking.

A much more interesting question the Liberals could ask — but wouldn't care to — is: "What hasn't Joe Clark done?"

Well, for starters, he and his Conservatives weren't involved in the Sky Shops Affair that has led to charges, now before the courts, against such leading Liberals as Senator Louis Giguere.

He didn't have a finger in the Dial-a-Judge Affair either, that soiled the integrity of the federal establishment.

He was untouched by the slime and

mud of the Hamilton Harbor scandal, still before the courts, involving kick-backs from dredging contracts.

He was clean, free and clear in the Air Canada scandal involving executives of that Crown corporation in questionable holiday package deals and land transactions in the Caribbean.

He had no part in the Polysar scandal of kick-backs and cover-ups on contract rake-offs, after the shabby style of the Lockheed fiasco in the U.S. in which corporate funds were used to bribe and corrupt government officials overseas.

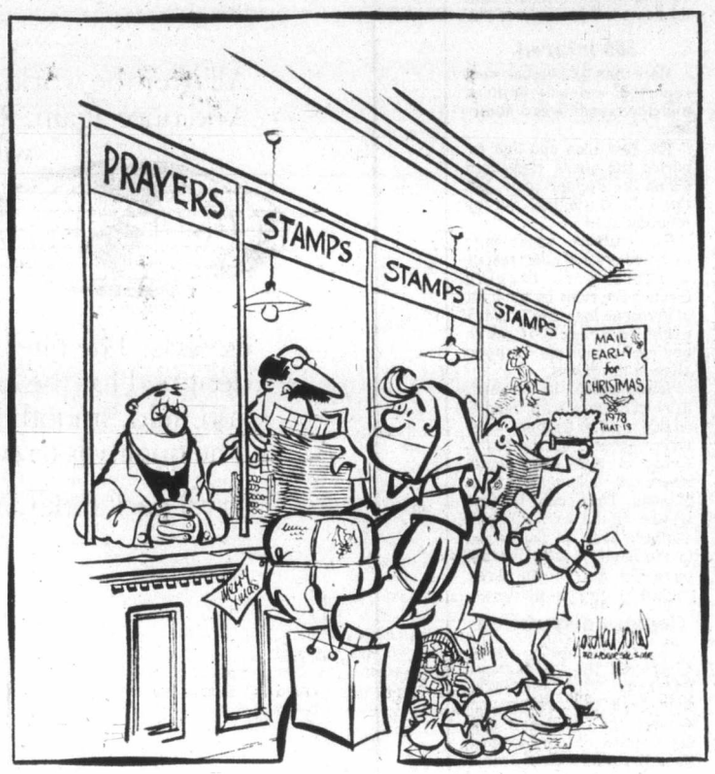
He was uninvolved in the Atomic Energy scandal resulting in the firing of the president of the Crown corporation, AECL, the loss of $180 million and mysterious under-the-table fees to foreign agents running into millions more dollars in deals with the Argentine and South Korea.

He didn't dream up bilingualism and biculturalism and push them to the point where they have not only been dividing the country but threatening to break it up.

Nor did he cook up that sweet indexed pension deal whereby senior public servants and politicians can retire on superannuation running into the hundreds of thousands of dollars a year.

No you can't blame Joe for any of these things, nor can you blame him for not being ready with some plans and policies should power come to him in the next election.

Which sort of makes him a credible alternative to a discredited, scandal-scarred regime.



Paul Hellyer

Trimming government just a beautiful dream

OTTAWA — The story out of Ottawa that five federal departments — consumer and corporate affairs, regional economic expansion, communications, science and technology and urban affairs — might be scrapped and the work absorbed by other departments kindled new hope in the hearts of hard-pressed taxpayers.

After all, there is no particular reason why Canada, with 23 million people, should need twice as many federal departments as the U.S. has with 10 times the population.

And when the cabinet is too big, it becomes a rubber-stamping talk shop. There are so many "honorables" that only those with excellent distance vision can see from one end of the table to the other.

According to Dr. C. Northcote Parkinson, the leading authority on the subject, the limit is 19. After that the real decisions are made by a subcommittee of five or six meeting in private.

In my opinion, Dr. Parkinson is right. Any move towards a smaller administration is bound to save money and increase efficiency although one can nitpick at the choice of departments to get the axe.

Herb Gray doesn't think the department of consumer and corporate affairs should be on the list. But he is biased because that was his baby — the one he nursed lovingly before Trudeau fired him.

But the department hasn't accomplished much that couldn't have been done elsewhere except, perhaps, to demonstrate that consumer affairs and corporate affairs are incompatible twins and don't belong in the same pram anyway.

And the department's several attempts to write a twentieth century anti-combines law have been a joke because the government insists on acting as if it were in the eighteenth century.

It strikes out for pure competition in the market-place with one hand while playing midwife to a price-fixing international uranium cartel with the other.

So much for principle. More precisely, the government's schizophrenic approach fails to take into account the mixture of free and administered prices that exist side by side in the real world.

Regional economic expansion is another turkey that should lose its head after eight years. It consists largely of inexperienced bureaucrats trying to second-guess business — with the inevitable results.

If the government really wants to accelerate economic growth in Quebec and the Atlantic provinces it could achieve its goal through special tax breaks. That would be easy to administer and, unlike the present system, treat all comers equally.

Communications is another mutation that would have been better left unborn. Most of its energy is spent fighting with the CRTC or the secretary of state department — from which it was removed surgically.

Science and technology, too, could be sunk without a ripple. Its major achievement has been to see Canada slip back a few lengths further in the slow race towards excellence. Our performance, relatively, was better without it.

And urban affairs is another fifth wheel. Apart from a constant war of nerves with Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation, it has little function beyond providing employment for a handful of over-paid academics.

The whole proposal to consolidate departments and save about $300 million a year made so much sense that there had to be a catch somewhere.

Specifically, the prime minister was unaware of the rumor and gave it no credence.

It was all too good to be true.

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It seems con men now come with music to woo victims

By Katherine Whitehorn
The London Observer

NEW YORK — Con men, I understand, tend to specialize. They are always got up as clergymen, gouging dimes out of credulous widows; or as widows, gouging dimes out of credulous clergymen; the uniform of a porter or a nurse, the whiskers of a prophet or the habit of a nun is part of their stock in trade.

If the following story is anything to go by, the striped pyjamas of a convict and what actors used to call blackface may soon be the recognized props for a new line of confidence trick, aimed solely at well meaning liberals.

My friend Norman Singer, a musical director, was sitting in his office at New York's Juilliard School of Music one day when he was told in grudging tones that a black man wished to see him — outside. Outraged that the chap should be kept waiting just because he was black, Singer sprang forth and brought him in; what could he do for him?

It seemed that the man was lately out of Attica prison; a musician; going straight; he had a chance to play a gig at a sorority dance at Columbia University but his flute had been sold long since and could the Juilliard possibly lend him one?

The Juilliard couldn't, but Singer had a flute of his own and he lent him that — along with some money to tide him over the weekend; the man was staying at the YMCA, but stood to be thrown out if he couldn't pay the room rental — his cases were in the baggage room, why didn't Mr. Singer check? Mr. Singer did, and indeed there were cases in the man's name there — only later did it turn out they were empty.

The ex-convict had papers showing him to be a member of the Prison Task Force, for those anxious to reform; they didn't reveal he'd been chucked out of it some time before. He also had veteran papers which entitled him to free courses at Queenstown Community College where he was taking English, Dance, PT and Music; only his cheque for his fees hadn't come through . . . Singer lent him a bit to tide him over.

Then there was the matter of a jumped turnstile, so he was in trouble with the travel authorities . . . $75 got him out of that one. And an uncle, broken-hearted, came all the way to the big city to share his troubles and naturally had no money to get back again . . . guess who paid for uncle's homeward fare?

One evening Singer had a big party; the large cars of patrons of the arts were parked at the door and so it didn't occur to him, when his house was burgled the following day, that the thief had been attracted by anything but this unusual display of wealth. Until, that is, the man he had helped rang up a few days later in the middle of the night from Harlem.

He said he knew where Singer's treasures were, suggested Singer come down and identify them, said he was in a police station in Harlem but that Bad Men had been trying to force him to forge Singer's signature on cheques.

Singer asked to speak to the cop; the man rang off — and belatedly my trusting friend started checking out all the bits of the past story.

He talked to a despairing minister of a Bible society, by whom the man had been counselled, to an ethical cultural society, in whose presence the fellow had broken down and wept — and got a spot of cash; and to the man's social worker, who was not unduly hopeful about anything at all to do with him.

Norman Singer has since moved house, stopped kicking himself for being an idiot, chalked it all up to experience and become a bit more wary about handouts for plausible people.

I don't know what the moral of this story is, except that it is a wicked world we live in. But it has a final twist. A few weeks later the social worker got Norman Singer on the telephone. No, she said, it wasn't about that man; she'd quit social work, she said; it was too awful. But she'd just bought a flute; and could Mr. Singer tell her how she could learn to play it?

Today in History

The Pilgrim Fathers' ship, the Mayflower, anchored before what is today Plymouth, Mass., 357 years ago today — in 1620. Some authorities insist it was on this day the Puritans first set foot on American soil and not at Cape Cod Nov. 11.

There were 102 persons aboard the Mayflower who came to North America to seek freedom of worship. They had sailed from Plymouth, England, Sept. 6, 1620.

1671 — Isaac Newton was proposed for membership in London's Royal Society.

1942 — Rationing of butter began in wartime Canada.

1945 — U.S. Gen. George Patton died two weeks after a car crash.

1958 — Gen. Charles de Gaulle was elected first president of France's Fifth Republic.

1967 — The first heart-transplant patient died, 18 days after surgery.

Erma Bombeck

If any of you are still shopping for my Christmas present, let me just warn you . . . get one that is finished.

Looking at me, you may think I'm one of those creative, clever people who take pride in do-it-yourself kits. You are wrong.

I have been known to quit in the middle of a birth and whine, "Can't we pick this up after lunch?"

Just for the record, let me bring you up to date on my progress with last year's kits:

Velvet paint-by-number kit of Michelangelo's Pieta. I've got all No. 42 finished (alizarine crimson) and would have gotten back to it but t'e white dried up.

Yogurt Maker: Started first batch Dec. 28, 1976, and ran into problems.

Opened Wine-Making kit and followed directions to a point. Let it age three hours and drank it to get my mind off the Yogurt Maker.

Glass cutter that was to make me a legend in my own time with sherbert glasses, candle holders and bowls out of old bottles fixed me so I can't mix meat loaf for months.

The punch-'n-grow vegetable garden that came with a dozen canning jars and lids got thrown away one day with the newspaper. Someone thought it was a left-over.

The cross-stitch sampler of an English garden has two branches and my initials in the corner completed. I'm saving it for sometime when I have surgery and am flat on my back for five years.

The book on how to trace my family roots is lost. I've looked everywhere and can't find it.

The glasses case that I was to needlepoint is going to be completed just as soon as I can find my glasses.

The loom for the potholders is stored in the attic in a box marked, "THINGS TO DO WHEN SENILE."

The kit someone got me that's full of shells to make my own necklace is in the bracelet stage.

Okay, you've been given warning. You all know now what you're dealing with — an imcompetent no-talent who considers the most beautiful words in the English language to be: pre-assembled.

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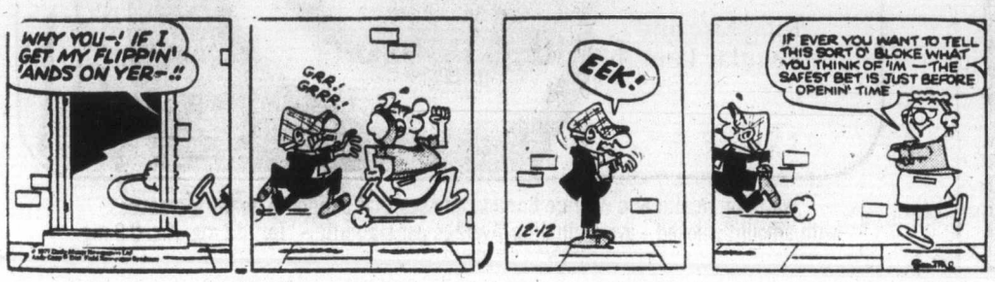

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one man's opinion

EVERY youngster growing up in Winnipeg knew who James Richardson was. At least they looked at the Richardson building at Portage and Main and knew the guy had to be pretty important, pretty big in the lives of Winnipeggers. That, of course, was James Armstrong Richardson, grain tycoon.

He's long gone from the scene now as is the original Richardson building. Today, James Armstrong Richardson the Second runs the empire and a new, massive Richardson building dominates the Portage and Main corner.

The young Richardson was, of course, born with a silver spoon in his mouth. He did, however, manage to serve with distinction as a bomber pilot with the RCAF during the last big hostility before joining dad's company. From that point in 1945, everything was roses. The best clubs, directorships of many big companies, the cottage at the lake. Then in 1968 Jimmy Richardson went the political route, getting himself elected as a Liberal member in the federal government. Being one of the few elected Liberals west of the Lakehead, Richardson soon hit cabinet status and eventually became minister of national defence.

But a little over a year ago Richardson had a falling out with Pierre Trudeau over the bilingual policy and resigned his cabinet post. Since that time he has spent a lot of his own money stumping the country in a fight against bilingualism as we presently know it. He still is, they say, a Liberal, but certainly a maverick Liberal.

ONE OF HIS pet projects today is drumming up support for yet another political party — a sort of unity movement that would have, as it its main objective, a strong alternative to the secessionist policies of Rene Levesque and to the Trudeau policy of presenting a new constitution with veto rights for Quebec.

Richardson's alternative is simplicity itself — Quebec would be bilingual, the rest of the country would be English speaking and Mr. Richardson has already managed a fair amount of support, both moral and monetary, for his stated goal.

His rationale makes sense, his building of a new party to implement it is nothing more than wishful thinking, regardless of the tremendous support he might receive from English-speaking Canada. In this day and age I would think it almost impossible to get such a party off the ground and in a position to actually challenge the big boys for power in Ottawa.

All the present unity talk not withstanding, Western Canadians are up to the gills with what they consider the inequity of Ottawa support to Quebec. They are fed up with the costly bilingual policy. They are annoyed with the little manifestations like double labelling of all goods — an annoyance they know has cost them money because of the increased costs to manufacturers, and an annoyance that has caused certain U.S. manufacturers to discontinue selling in Canada. These manufacturers simply would not go along with English and French labelling.

THERE is antagonism in many different areas of local concern. The antagonism of a French-language TV station (government sponsored) in Vancouver when less than one per cent of the population of British Columbia is French-speaking. The cost runs to many millions of dollars.

Strong objections within the federal civil service because of a bilingual policy that gives job and salary preference to those who speak both languages. To the anglophone, just another case of pandering to the Quebecois, plus the feeling of frustration that comes when a middle-aged civil servant knows he or she cannot get full advancement without being prolific in the other language and who knows learning that language at such a late stage in life rates as a roadblock of insurmountable proportion.

There is the strong gut reaction that the rest of Canada is being conned and dunned on the bilingualism front when the rest of Canada notes the federal government has done nothing to quash a Quebec language law that clearly breaks the constitution. Also the feeling of helplessness that comes when the English-speaking community sees Quebec thumb its nose at the constitution while the rest of us must live with bilingual costs and regulations.

JAMES RICHARDSON, has, no doubt, been given that bigot label because of his approach. He has been called racist and a few other choice terms not fit for publication in this family record. The weak-nellied Liberals have written him off completely.

But Richardson is not without support even within his own party and even within the cabinet he left. As a matter of fact, members of all parties have given support, including dollar support.

Bigot? Not on your life. Richardson is simply a pragmatic Canadian and one who has had enough of the force-feed of the French language. There are many hundreds of thousands with the same feelings.

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BEATS ME how Woodward's failed to show up in The Colonist's Christmas sales story. Story said sales of the "big three" are up over last year, whereas it certainly should have reported, "big four." Woodward's, a B.C. company, definitely holds its own with the others in our town and a wander around the store is all that is necessary to convince anyone. Big Four, not big three. . .

Invasion mystery

Antarctica exploration

By STEPHEN HUME
Colonist Reporter

A team of international scientists has set out to explore a lost sea world in the Antarctic.

Scientists are going to lower television cameras, baited lines, nets and traps into a "lost world" at the bottom of the quarter-mile thick Ross Ice Shelf.

Marine life that has been left undisturbed for a million-years, since the Great Ice Age, is apparently down there swimming around.

Because it "is there," we're going to haul it up.

The question is, why invade the existence of other creatures?

Untouched since the pleistocene geological period, they are worth plenty in research grants for scientists from the U.S., the Soviet Union, Australia, Denmark, New Zealand and Norway.

The U.S. alone is spending $4.7 million on the project.

Dr. Duwayne Anderson, chief of polar programs for the U.S. National Science Foundation, said this month that scientists will drill through the shelf whatever the cost.

It may be somewhat of a mystery to working or unemployed people that U.S. scientists can get unlimited funds to invade a happily existing world in Antarctica.

It may also be something of a surprise to whatever creatures are down there, when the hooks and nets start dropping.

Scientists failed last year to poke through the ancient ice mass when a 12-inch drill hole was slammed shut by the enormous pressure of the ice.

This time scientists have vowed that they won't give up.

We are told that their findings may help them understand the origin of the universe: But who really gives a damn?

It is as if we should be satisfied that their findings will help them write poetry about unicorns.

The six-nation project relies on the 20th century myth that violating the earth provides "answers."

The Ross Ice Shelf is about the size of New Zealand. (It was named after Sir James Clark Ross, a 19th century British polar explorer.)

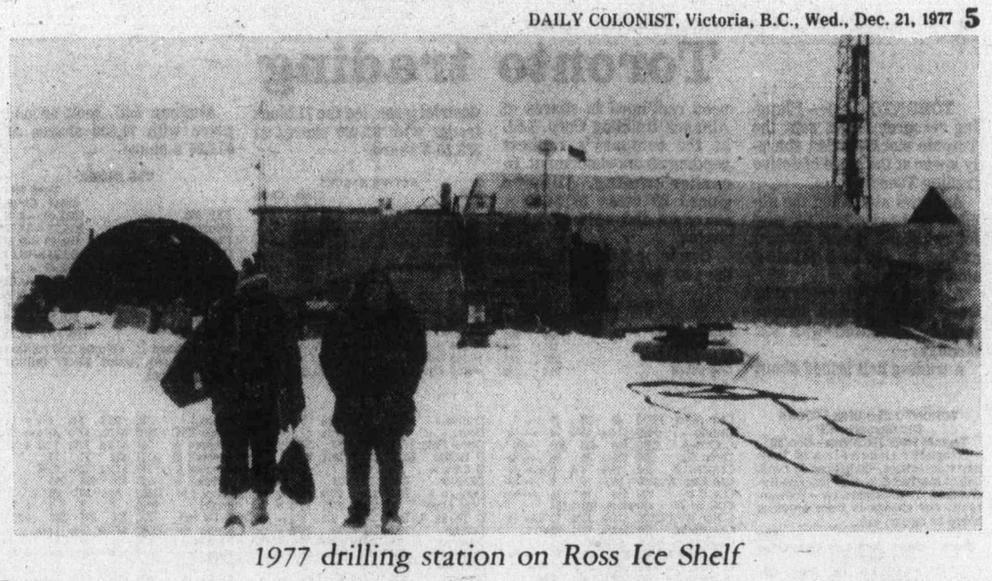
Now it is almost summer in Antarctica, the only time when drilling is possible.

Drillers are camped 470 miles southeast of the main McMurdo Sound base.

The drilling operation will use a new flame jet drill that operates like a high-velocity blow torch.

The flame jet drill will contaminate the melted ice water with hydrocarbons since the jet burns diesel fuel.

Isn't science wonderful?



1977 drilling station on Ross Ice Shelf

To the editor

Horse, buggy thinking?

Basing the cost of living allowance on a percentage of the wage earner's monthly pay — appears to be utter nonsense, yet the government continues to use this method.

Surely, the price of food, clothing, fuel, etc. has not increased more for high ranking managers and supervisors, than it has for the lower payed.

In the computer age, it should not be difficult to determine the cost of living increase for the average family. This average amount only should be paid to all striking workers regardless of their present income — and also everybody else, who is due for a wage or salary increase.

If this followed, the supervisors, managers and politicians will not continue to line their own pockets and perhaps, the government coffers will contain enough money to give the old age pensioners a reasnable raise, instead of the $3.01 as contemplated. But will the politicians use the computer or is the horse and buggy thinking more to their liking? If so, they should be ashamed, because they are putting away money they do not deserve at the expense of the elderly and low paid workers.

Comparison: Gas: If the striking worker gets, say $50 a month increase— he or she can buy for his or her car gas for the whole month. The pensioner gets only $1.54 (or so) increase and can buy gas for his or her car just for one day.

JOSEPH JAN HERAL,
89 Howe St.,
Victoria.

Development

There is talk of developing a golf course in the Elk-Beaver Lake Park; presumably on that part now used by cross-country runners, pheasants, R.C. model glider enthusiasts, bird-watchers, an annual meet of off-highway cyclists, gun-dog trainers, wildberry pickers, rugby-footballers, small circus patrons, otters, joggers, and the Saanich Strawberry Fair.

Would these and any other organizations and individuals give me details of the nature and frequency of their use of this area in its present state? Phone 477-4306 or 477-4484.

IRENE BLOCK,
President,
Saanich Greenbelt Assoc.

Photographs

When you started printing a columnist's photograph with his article on the editorial page it was pleasant to see who was penning the words. But over the months I have found that the photographs exert a subtle influence on my attitude towards the articles. One glance at Lubor J. Zink, Peter Worthington or Edward Carrigan and it is obvious that they find little that is amusing in Canada's internal or foreign affairs, and their words don't belie their looks.

However, with Richard Jackson, McKenzie Porter and Paul Hellyer grinning like Cheshire cats one is prepared for humor, even some facetious leg pulling, so it is rather disconcerting to read their serious fulminations.

More weight has been added to Gorde Hunter's words with his new contemplative look, and the serious mien of Hubert Beyer and Jim Hume help one to believe that they do indeed report the local scene without fear or favor.

Perhaps a columnist should keep on hand various "mood" photographs, for even in these days of great adversity there might come a day when the column is devoted to happy themes, then a happy snap would enhance the mood created by his words.

Superficial appearances should not sway out emotions, but during the Second World War how many would have been so deeply moved and inspired by Winston Churchill's orations if his bulldog visage had been always softened by a happy smile?

RUBY PEARSON,
2085 Avondale Road,
Victoria.

Distressed

I was greatly distressed to read the account of the slaughtering of the pig (Dec. 13 Colonist).

Animals are raised by us to provide food, but I was under the impression that humane methods were used for slaughtering, and that inspectors were present at the abattoir. My concern is both for the animals, and for the people employed to deal with them. If we permit brutality to animals, the people perpetrating the acts are brutalized and destroyed.

Is there not an official body who is responsible for the management of abattoirs and stockyards?

MRS. N. MOODY,
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Victoria.

Involvement in dispute

Re: The statement made by the minister of labor that he "wasn't going to get involved" in the B.C. Tel lockout of 10,000 employees.

Apart from the obvious lack of backbone in the minister of labor not becoming involved in a labor dispute, the statement doesn't make sense. It is the same as a baker saying he won't become involved in baking. The: "I'm not going to get involved" syndrome is always sad when it occurs in the average citizen's world, but it is pitiful when it happens to one of the supposed top people in government.

Mr. Williams further stated that because B.C. Tel was a federally regulated company, he didn't think he should deal with it. But that is only half the story. What about the 10,000 workers who have been out of work at least three weeks? They aren't federally controlled. They are part of this province. Why can't he offer any help on their behalf?

One would think a minister of labor would be offering all the help he could in a dispute involving 10,000 of the people he is supposed to be looking after.

People respect leaders in government Mr. Williams, not bystanders.

TERRY BRAND,
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Victoria.

Needless killing

It was with a heavy heart that I learned that a beautiful shy, friendly Husky puppy was run over and killed. He belonged to people who have recently moved into Garden Court Apartments (townhouses) at the corner of Menzies and Niagara Streets. They allowed this young lovely puppy to run loose all day on the dangerous streets where Beacon Hill bus and big traffic passed all day. Yes — he was run over and killed needlessly by people being neglectful and letting him run loose all day.

If people are to have young dogs — they must be kept safely on a long rope or leash for their own safety. They are too young to be let loose in traffic zones. This is the second offense like this in two weeks in James Bay. Another young dog was hit on Dallas Road. The dog was found hurt and in a coma — luckily he will recover.

The SPCA asked us to write you about this hoping you would print this letter. I have a pet of my own.

People should not buy puppies if they aren't going to take care of them and protect them!

R. PERRAULT,
453 Niagara St.,
Victoria.

Power surplus is in the wind

The Indian community of Bella Bella is reported to be angry at the slow rate of restoration of their interrupted power supply.

I wonder if citizens generally should not share their anger at the circumstance that allows huge surplusses of power to blow across that Island unharnessed and unused, and delivered to their doors free!

A system of wind-powered electricity could be theirs independently of an outside source if this were harnessed. Auxiliary power could be in readiness when, due to some prolonged cessation of wind-power, the supply ran low. Would not such a policy commend itself to the village council?

I suppose it is hopeless to suggest such a simple policy to the Hydro authorities in B.C. They like an empire to operate.

Why can't our outlying communities have more self-sufficiency?

HAROLD T. ALLEN,
2140 Kings Road,
Victoria.

Crooks not kooks in labor dispute

I take exception to the editorial in the Dec. 7 Colonist.

It is true as you say Mr. Editor that there are a number of kooks in any organization and the TWU has its share — in Victoria at any rate.

But I think Mr. Editor that you meant to say crooks in your editorial not kooks, for I must admit that though I know most of the kooks, I am not aware that any of them are crooks.

Are you so naive Mr. Editor as to think that a person intending to commit a criminal act of vandalism boasts of it in advance? Do you think for one moment that he checks in at the union office informing us of his intentions?

What would you have me do Mr. Editor? Provide the police with a list of all the people I think have been guilty of kooky conduct in the past? I can do that easily enough, but if you are asking me to indicate which of them I think is possibly guilty of criminal conduct than I must answer: None that I am aware of!

As was reported in the paper we have ordered our roving pickets to police B.C. Tel's cables, especially the important ones. This is as much as we can do.

You also state, Mr. Editor that public opinion is going against us. As to that, we knew from the time that the first cable was slashed that any such act would be hung like an albatross around the union's neck. Your editorial, not to mention Gorde Hunter's column indicates to us how correctly we anticipated the treatment that the press would give to this situation.

J. D. SAMBROOKE,
President,
Victoria TWU (Local 2),
Lockout Headquarters.

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Toronto trading

TORONTO (CP) — Plunging resource issues sent the Toronto stock market sharply lower at the close of active trading Tuesday.

Analysts attributed the decline to heavy profit-taking following the recent upward surge in oil and mining stocks.

A total of 741 contracts were traded on the options market compared with 922 Monday.

A trading halt issued about noon continued in shares of Alliance Building Corp. Ltd. at the company's request pending an announcement. In earlier trading, Alliance gained 20 cents to $4.00 a share on the sale of 1,300 shares.

Dominion Bridge Co. Ltd., the session's most active industrial issue, led the 71 block trades with 82,400 shares at $23.50 a share.

Alminex Ltd. took second place with 71,500 shares at $11.25 a share.

BOX SCORE

	Tues.	Mon.
Issues traded	680	695
Advances	161	202
Declines	287	263
Unchanged	232	230

ACTIVE STOCKS

Vol.		Close	Chge.
83,800	Dom Bridge	$23½	unch
81,200	Cons Distb	$5¾	+½
72,750	MacInH En	$12¾	+¼
55,074	Norcan En	$17⅝	—½
43,110	Inco A	$17⅝	—⅝
76,600	C Sth Pete	$5	unch
	Mines and Oils		
135,800	Amer Led	.33	—.04
87,403	Alminex	$11¼	+¼
87,280	Tr-Can Rs	$2.99	—.01
76,600	C Sth Pete	$5	Unch
56,508	Amer Eagl	$3.65	—.20
53,000	Gulfstrm	.54	—.01
41,050	Ego Mines	$2.30	+.10

TSE INDEX

	Tues Close	Net Ch'ge
TSE 300	1033.40	—8.20
Minerals	865.26	—14.74
Financ'l	946.93	—9.28
Oil, Gas	1405.24	—15.07
Industry	874.49	+3.27
Utilities	1259.44	—4.03
Consum	918.76	+0.16
Merch	856.31	+2.92
Forest	859.72	+0.87
Transp't	1160.90	—39.55

Up 4, down 11. Volume 3.80 million (3.64 million). Value $36.47 million ($35.33million).

MARKET REPORT

Closing quotations for Tuesday, Dec. 20, 1977

TORONTO CLOSING STOCKS
Distributed by CP
Toronto Stock Exchange—Dec. 20

Complete tabulation of Tuesday transactions. Quotations in cents unless marked $. z—Odd lot, xd—Ex-dividend, xr—Ex-rights, xw—Ex-warrants. Net change is from previous board-lot closing sale.

Stock	Sales	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
A and B					
A.G.F.M	517	190	180	180	—20
Aby Gin w	200	120	120	120	
Abitibi	6570	$10¼	10⅛	10⅛	
Abitbi 7½p	150	$47	47	47	+¼
Abitbi 10	240	$53	53	53	+¼
Acklands	200	$11	11	11	—¼
Acklnd 2p	100	$12	12	12	+⅜
Adanac M	1000	55	55	55	+5
Advocate	300	330	330	330	
Afton Min	1150	$6¾	6⅝	6⅝	
Agnico E	8950	$5⅛	5	5⅛	
Agra Ind A	275	$5½	5⅜	5½	+⅛
Akaitcho	4500	90	90	90	
Albany	14150	70	66	69	
Alt Energy	4475	$16¾	16⅝	16¾	—⅛
Alta Gas A	17925	$15¾	15⅝	15⅝	
Alta G F	250	$27⅞	27¾	27¾	
Alta G 9.76	4180	$28	27⅞	27⅞	—⅛
Alcan	5320	$27½	27⅛	27⅜	—⅛
Algoma St	15627	$15¼	14¾	15	—⅛
AStel p	100	$26¾	26¾	26¾	—¼
All-Can B	750	360	360	360	—10
Allarco Dv	550	$19⅝	19¼	19¼	—¼
Alliance B	1300	400	390	400	+20
Alminex	87403	$11¼	11⅛	11¼	+¼
Am Bonza	13395	$45¼	42⅝	43	—2⅜
Am Larder	1000	16½	16½	16½	
Am Eagle	56508	385	345	365	—20
A Led	135800	39	33	33	—4
Andres W	845	$11	10⅝	10⅝	—⅝
Ang CT 290	z20	$36¼	36¼	36¼	
Ang CT 315	125	$38¼	38¼	38¼	+¼
Ang U Dev	z200	56	56	56	
Aquitaine	1850	$17⅝	17½	17⅝	—⅛
Argus C pr	125	$13¼	13¼	13¼	
Asamera	8700	$10⅛	10	10⅛	—⅛
Asbestos	2400	$38	37½	37¾	
Ashland C	1406	$17½	17⅜	17½	—⅛
Asoc Porc	z93	74	74	74	
Atco A	9210	$13¾	13¼	13¾	+⅜
Atl C Cop	800	30	30	30	+1
Atlas Yk	5000	11½	11	11½	
Auric Res	17800	42	40	41	—2
BC Sugar A	200	$30½	29⅝	30½	+1
BP Can	3636	$17¼	17⅛	17⅛	—⅛
Banister C	4100	$12¼	12	12	—¼
Bank BC	z35	$28¾	28½	28½	
Bank Mtl	20759	$17⅝	17½	17⅝	
Bank N S	8480	$19⅝	19	19¼	—⅛
Bankeno	6950	245	237	237	—3
B Cdn Nat	3300	$14⅞	14¾	14¾	—⅛
Bartaco	190	156	156	156	—6
Bay Mills	100	$10	10	10	+¼
Becker B p	200	$5½	5½	5½	
Bell Canad	24849	$54⅛	53⅞	54	—¼
Bell A pr	464	$53⅞	53⅞	53⅞	—2¼
Bell B pr	250	$55	55	55	—⅜
Bell C pr	100	$29½	29½	29½	
Bell 2.28	1800	$29¾	29⅝	29⅝	—⅛
Bell 1.80	4100	$22⅝	22½	22⅝	
Beth Cop A	400	$13	13	13	—½
Bl Hawk	25600	24	21	21	+1
Black P A	275	$6¼	6¼	6¼	—⅛
Blakwod A	100	300	300	300	—15
Block Bros	2500	$7⅛	7	7⅛	
Bombdier	247	$6	6	6	+⅛
Border C	200	260	260	260	
Bovis Cor	10290	59	56	58	—1
Bow Valy	20700	$21⅝	21	21	—½
Bow Vly pr	300	$15	15	15	—1
Bralor Res	3800	$6½	6¼	6⅜	—⅛
Bramalea	40300	$7¼	7¼	7¼	
Brameda	7039	112	111	112	+2
Brascan A	6815	$14⅝	14½	14½	—⅛
Brscn 8½	850	$26¾	26⅝	26¾	+⅛
Brenda M	12850	$12	11⅞	12	+⅛
Bridger	6050	$10¾	10¾	10¾	
Brinco	804	390	380	390	—5
BCFP	600	$22	21⅞	22	
BC Pack B	400	$30	30	30	—1
BC Phone	2900	$15⅛	15	15	—⅛
BCPh 4⅝ p	z10	$53	53	53	
BCPh 4½ p	100	$56	56	56	+1
BCPh 5¾ p	z10	$68⅜	68⅜	68⅜	
BCPh 6.80	300	$20¾	20¾	20¾	+¼
BCP 10.16 p	200	$29	29	29	+⅜
BCP 2.32 p	100	$31	31	31	+¼
Broul Reef	z25	22	22	22	
Brunswk	4000	385	360	360	—15
Budd Auto	500	$6¾	6¾	6¾	
Budd A w	260	166	166	166	—4
Burns Fds	450	$10⅛	10⅛	10⅛	
Bushnell	1400	$8	7¾	7¾	
C					
CC Yachts	727	300	300	300	+10
CAE A	200	$11½	11½	11½	
Cad Frv	9400	$9¾	9⅝	9⅝	—⅛
Cal Pow A	31027	$36½	36	36½	+¼
Cal P 7½ p	50	$100	100	100	
Cal P 9.80	70	$108	108	108	
Cal P 2.36	100	$28½	28½	28½	6
Cal P 8¾	250	$106	105	106	+1
Calvrt Dle	500	295	295	295	
Calvert	31000	39	36½	38	—2½
Cam Mine	13000	40	39	39	—1
Camflo	1440	$14¼	13¾	14	—⅜
C Chib A	2350	405	400	400	—10
Camp RL	200	$36¼	36	36	—¾
Campau B	400	$9¾	9⅜	9¾	+⅜
Can Cem A	5050	$9¼	9	9	—⅛
CCe C p	200	$16	16	16	—½
CDC pr B	410	$104¼	103¾	104	
C Nor West	12506	$14¼	13⅝	13⅞	—½
Can Perm	100	$18¾	18¾	18¾	
CS Pete	76600	$5⅛	485	5	
Can Trust A	501	$28	28	28	—¼
C Trust 7¼	2600	$22½	22¼	22½	+¼
C Tung	2100	$9⅞	9⅞	9⅞	
CCablesy A	940	$13⅝	13⅜	13⅜	—⅛
C Cable w	1610	55	51	51	
Cdn Cel	1600	$5⅜	5¼	5¼	—¼
CC Man A	300	$28	27⅜	28	+⅝
C Curtis	1000	50	50	50	+1
CGE	360	$23½	23½	23½	—½
C Hidrogas	3787	320	315	315	
C Homestd	21100	$9⅝	9⅜	9⅜	—¼
C Hydro	1200	$9⅝	9½	9½	
CI Bk Com	12172	$24½	24¼	24⅜	—½
CIL	15100	$18⅜	18¼	18¼	—¼
CI Powr A	3602	120	116	120	+2
CLI Pete	1000	76	76	76	—4
C Manoir A	2000	475	470	470	
C Marconi	100	415	415	415	—5
C Merrill	800	$14⅜	14¼	14¼	—¼
CNat R	5700	445	440	440	—5
C Ocdental	500	$18¾	18⅜	18¾	
C Ocdntl p	200	$28¾	28½	28¾	+½
CP Inve	12970	$19¾	19⅜	19¾	+¼
CP Ltd	20725	$17⅝	17⅜	17⅜	—15
C Reserve	1900	$8	7¾	7¾	—⅜
Cdn Sup O	1500	$57¼	57	57¼	—1
Cdn Tire	750	$26⅛	26	26	—¾
Cdn Tire A	22900	$27	26½	26⅝	—⅛
C Uilties	2775	$15¼	15	15⅛	
CU 10¼	950	$28	27⅞	28	+⅛
C Util 9.24	300	$28	28	28	+¼
C Util w	100	$6	6	6	
C Vickers	100	$20¼	20¼	20¼	
CWN G 4 pr	200	$10¼	10¼	10¼	+¼
Canbra	100	375	375	375	
Candel Oil	300	$16⅝	16⅜	16⅜	—⅞
Canray	3700	170	160	160	—14
Canron	450	$23⅞	23¾	23⅞	+½
Capit Div	3900	110	108	108	—2
Cara	1104	$11⅝	11¼	11¼	—⅜
Carl OK	28425	315	305	310	
Carl A p	750	$24½	24½	24½	—⅛
Carl B p	375	$30	29⅞	30	+½
Carma A	600	$8½	8½	8½	
Carrier JD	100	150	150	150	
Cassiar	3100	$8⅜	8⅛	8¼	—⅛
Celanese	1760	291	287	289	—4
Ctl Fund A	300	$5¼	5¼	5¼	
Cent Pat	500	95	95	95	—3
Chib Kay	4000	10	10	10	
Chieftan D	10550	$20½	20	20⅜	—¼
Chieftain p	1270	$83	81	82¼	—¼
Chrysler	6595	$14¼	13⅞	13⅞	—⅛
CHUM	800	$8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	+⅛
CHUM B	1560	$10⅛	10	10	+⅛
C S 10¾	300	$13	13	13	+⅛
Coin Lake	6000	9½	9	9½	+½
Coles Book	1800	$15½	15¼	15¼	—¼
Comb Met	57500	17½	16	16	—1½
Cominco	4950	$30¼	29⅞	29⅞	—¼
Cominco A	400	$28¾	28¾	28¾	
Com Cap	100	$5	5	5	—⅛
C Holiday I	2700	$5⅝	5⅜	5⅜	
Comtech	100	305	305	305	
Con Bath A	1566	$21¼	21	21¼	+⅛
Con Bath p	z20	$17¼	17¼	17¼	
C Bath 68 w	100	400	400	400	+10
Con Bldg	13700	335	335	335	
Con Fardy	6850	290	285	285	+1
C Durham	1500	83	83	83	
C Marben	1100	65	65	65	
C Morisn	4900	160	154	154	—7
Cons Pipe	100	$6	6	6	
C Rambler	2130	115	110	110	—5
C Rexspar	7500	90	78	83	—6
Con Textle	1500	185	185	185	+5
Con Distrb	81200	$5⅞	5¼	5¾	+½
Cons Gas	8115	$17¼	17⅛	17⅛	—⅛
Con Gas A	z50	$80	80	80	
Conwest	2600	435	425	430	
Cooper C	100	460	460	460	
Cop Fields	2800	246	245	245	+5
Corby vt	z25	$20⅞	20⅞	20⅞	
Cornat Ind	825	$5¼	5⅛	5¼	+⅛
Corp Food	300	$17¾	17¼	17¾	+½
Coseka R	14800	$7½	7¼	7⅜	—⅛
Costain R	1450	$7¾	7½	7⅝	—⅛
Costin R w	100	425	425	425	+5
Courvan	12000	7½	7	7	
Craigmt	4400	345	330	330	—10
Crain R L	3700	$8½	8¼	8½	+⅜
Crestbrk	1300	350	340	350	
C Zelrba A	z60	$19¾	19⅜	19⅜	
Crush Intl	34730	$10⅝	9⅞	10½	+⅝
Cuvier M	20850	38	36½	37	+1
Cyprus	3000	$9	8⅝	8⅝	—⅜
D to G					
DRG Ltd A	1100	405	400	400	
Dalmy C	100	375	375	375	—5
Daon Dev	1750	$16½	16¼	16½	+⅛
Daon A	850	$7⅝	7½	7½	
D Aragon	20500	32	30	30	—1½
Decca R	6100	$9⅜	9¼	9¼	—¼
D Eldona	12300	83	82	83	—2
Denison	9051	$55¾	54¼	55¾	+¾
Dicknsn	2260	475	465	475	+5
Doman I	1600	$5¼	5¼	5¼	—⅛
Dome	435	$67	66½	67	—½
Dome Pete	21075	$54	53	53⅝	
D Bridge	83800	$23½	23½	23½	
D Cifrs A	500	$7¼	7	7⅛	—⅜
DExplor	7000	26	25	25	—1
Dofasco A	2030	$24	23¾	23⅞	+⅛
Dom Store	700	$16¾	16½	16¾	+¼
D Textie A	1650	$8¾	8½	8¾	—⅛
Domtar	1050	$15⅛	15	15⅛	+⅛
Dover pr	200	$7½	7½	7½	+¼
Dunde Pal	4066	47	45½	46	
Dunraie	2000	6	6	6	—1
Du Pont	1955	$12⅝	12½	12½	—⅛
Dustbane	300	$7¾	7½	7½	
Dylex L A	400	$7½	7½	7½	—⅛
Dynamar	21624	165	157	164	—4
E-L Fin	2200	$11	11	11	
E-L Fin w	15150	155	149	150	+2
East Mal	2660	310	300	310	
East Sul A	2210	110	105	105	—5
Estn Prov	600	300	300	300	
Ego Mines	41050	230	207	230	+10
Electro K	1800	50	50	50	
Electro A	4100	239	221	235	+15
Emco	200	$6	6	6	
Extndcar	2600	$9¼	9	9¼	+⅛
Falcon C	5241	450	430	440	—10
Flbrg Nik A	10585	$20¼	19⅝	19⅝	—⅝
Fed Ind A	800	$6⅝	6⅜	6⅜	—⅛
Fed Pion	300	$24	24	24	+⅜
Fidelity Tr	200	310	310	310	—5
Finning T	200	$18⅛	18⅛	18⅛	—⅛
F Mar	900	35	35	35	+3
Fittings A	100	$31	31	31	—4¼
Foodex S	7500	$5⅛	5	5	—⅛
Ford Cnda	840	$80	80	80	
F Seasons	1300	420	415	420	
F Sea A pr	600	$8	8	8	
Francana	4200	$8¼	8	8	—¼
Fruehauf	800	$7¼	7⅛	7¼	
G M Res	6775	435	415	415	—20
GSW Cl B	500	$5¼	5¼	5¼	+¼
Gaz Metr	2240	$5¾	5¾	5¾	+¼
Gaz 5½ p	100	$56	56	56	+2
Gen Baker	1700	$6	5¾	6	
G Distrb w	660	145	145	145	
GMC	330	$67⅛	66¾	66¾	—¼
Genstar L	1130	$27	26⅞	27	
Gnstar 1.50	660	$26⅝	26⅝	26⅝	+⅛
Gnstar L w	260	$9⅞	9⅞	9⅞	+⅛
Gesco Dis	200	280	280	280	+5
Giant Yk	200	$8⅞	8⅞	8⅞	—⅛
Gibraltar	7200	450	440	440	—5
Goldund M	4580	21	21	21	
Granduc	5700	75	73	75	
Gt Oil Sds	400	$6⅜	6⅜	6⅜	
G L Nickl	5500	47	42	47	+5½
GL Paper	650	$22½	22½	22½	—¼
GL Pap w	2450	305	290	295	—30
GN Fin	300	120	120	120	
Gt W Life	z25	$64½	64½	64½	
Gt West S	4100	224	210	215	—
G Goose A	100	$6¾	6¾	6¾	+¼
Greyhnd	871	$17⅝	17⅝	17⅝	
Guard Cap	500	425	420	420	
Gulf Can	3725	$29	28¼	28½	—⅝
Gulfstrem	53000	55	52	54	—1
H to L					
Hambro C	7800	$5½	5⅜	5½	
H Group A	200	365	365	365	+5
Ham Tr	6809	$22¾	22¾	22¾	
Hardee	5100	75	72	72	
Hard Crp A	5600	285	280	285	+5
Harlequin	460	$25⅛	25	25	
Harris J A	1300	355	350	355	
Hawker A	4513	$6¼	6⅛	6¼	
Hayes D A	229	$5⅞	5⅞	5⅞	
Hedway A	300	360	360	360	+5
Highmont	400	110	110	110	
Holinger A	314	$28½	28½	28½	
Home A	12725	$44¼	43½	44¼	+½
Home B	15330	$42	41	41¾	+¼
H Bramor	100	145	145	145	+9
Hud Bay A	6802	$17¼	16⅝	16⅝	—1⅛
H Bay Co	13460	$19	18¾	18¾	+⅛
HB Oil Gas	3265	$47½	46½	46½	—1
Husky Oil	8725	$27	26⅝	26¾	—¼
Husky A pr	100	$39⅝	39⅝	39⅝	—⅞
Husky B pr	215	$38¾	38¾	38¾	
Husky E w	300	$10¼	10¼	10¼	
Hydra Ex	z50	26	26	26	
IAC	6055	$18	17⅞	17⅞	—¼
IAC 4½ p	200	$68	68	68	—1
ITL Ind	800	375	365	375	
IU Intl	7100	$12⅛	12⅛	12⅛	—⅛
IWC Com	500	200	200	200	—3
Imasco A	657	$30¼	29⅞	30¼	+½
Imp Oil A	26224	$21	20⅝	20¾	
Imp Oil B	100	$20¾	20¾	20¾	
INCO A	43110	$18⅛	17½	17⅝	—⅝
Indal	4600	$9	8⅞	8⅞	—⅛
Inglis	100	$9	9	9	
Inland Gas	1605	$11	10¾	10⅞	—⅛
Inter-City	8700	$7⅛	7	7	—⅛
Inter C B w	7000	440	435	440	+10
Intrmetco	600	$7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	—¼
IBM	100	$286	283	286	+1
Int Mogul	625	390	390	390	—5
I Mogul A	500	$12⅛	12	12	—⅛
Interpool	400	$22¼	22	22	—1½
Int Pipe A	5750	$15⅛	14⅞	14⅞	—⅛
Ipsco	1150	$17⅜	17⅜	17⅜	—⅛
Inv Grp A	3665	$9	8¾	8¾	—⅛
Inv Grp 5 p	500	$16¼	16	16	—⅜
Irwin T A	4100	285	260	268	—7
ISO	4600	115	110	110	—5
Ivaco A	100	$6¾	6¾	6¾	+⅛
Ivaco 8.85	1000	$47¾	47½	47½	—¼
Jannock A	201	$12⅛	12⅛	12⅛	+⅛
Jannock B	4571	$12	12	12	
Jannock 8	317	$13¾	13¾	13¾	
Jannock w	z37	295	295	295	
Jorex Ltd	13500	41	38	40	
Joutel	8900	9	8	9	+1
K-Tel Intl	300	380	375	380	+20
Kaiser Re	10880	$13¾	13⅜	13¾	
Kam Kotia	3600	92	92	92	
Kaps Tran	15675	95	90	92	+1
Keen Ind	900	51	51	51	—6
Kelsey H	400	$13½	13⅜	13⅜	—⅜
Kerr A A	2176	$13⅛	13	13	—⅛
K Anacon	z100	13	13	13	
Koffler A	650	$7⅝	7⅝	7⅝	+⅛
Labatt A	7150	$20¼	20⅛	20¼	
Labatt A p	125	$20⅛	20⅛	20⅛	—¼
Lab Min	200	$32⅞	32⅞	32⅞	+⅜
Lacana	11900	3356	330	330	
Lacana w	25600	106	105	105	—3
Laidlaw A	z50	$9⅝	9⅝	9⅝	
Ldl B p	z14000				
LOnt Cem	130	315	315	315	+5
L Shore	500	225	220	225	—5
Lasitr Km	1000	33	33	33	—2
Laurasia	8000	34	33	33	
Lau Fin	1220	$7	7	7	
Lau F 1.25	100	$17	17	17	
Lau F 2.00	125	$27	27	27	
Leigh Inst	1200	415	410	410	
LL Lac	415	207	205	205	—9
Livingsto	300	$20¼	20¼	20¼	+⅛
Lob Co A	200	370	370	370	
Lob Co B	300	355	355	355	
Lob Co pr	160	$27⅛	27⅛	27⅛	—¼
Lob Ltd Ap	100	$17¼	17¼	17¼	—¼
Lob Ltd Bp	z50	$18	18	18	
Lochiel	8300	270	265	269	+9
Loeb M	z125	470	465	470	
Lost River	5000	79	75	79	+3
Lytton M	22700	26	24	24	—1
M to O					
MICC	2225	$9⅛	9⅛	9⅛	
MTS Inter	3000	13	13	13	
Mclan H A	72750	$12¾	12½	12¾	+¼
MB Ltd	15067	$17⅜	17⅛	17¼	
Madeline	1700	61	61	61	—2
Madsen	16550	83	82	83	
Magna Int	100	$16½	16½	16½	—⅜
Magna A	200	$20½	20	20	—1
Magnason	2750	161	150	150	—11
Magnetcs	21800	45	43	45	+1
Maislin I	400	315	315	315	
Majstc Wil	9499	290	285	288	—4
Malartic	3300	86	86	86	
Man Bar	3400	165	150	155	—10
M Lf Gard	225	$25	25	25	
Marcana	1333	17	17	17	—1
Maritime	429	$21¾	21¾	21¾	+¼
Martim A p	100	$9½	9½	9½	+½
Mar T 940	750	$11¼	11	11	—¼
Martpn	3500	21	21	21	
Mass Fer	12408	$16¾	16¼	16⅝	
Mas F A	550	$27⅛	27	27	—⅜
Mas F B	850	$27	26⅝	26¾	+¼
Matchan	9000	13	12	12	—1
Matgmi A	7244	$10⅛	10	10	—¼
Mc Adam	z300	25	25	25	
Mc Intyre	850	$26⅛	25½	25½	—⅞
McLghl 9 p	1700	$23½	23½	23½	—⅜
McLghl w	800	161	160	161	—9
Melcor	1300	$7	7	7	
Mentor	4500	305	296	296	—9
Mercantil	7650	$11⅝	11⅜	11½	
Merland E	4925	$6⅞	6¾	6¾	—⅛
Met Str 67p	175	$15½	15½	15½	
Met Trust	z8	$25	25	25	
Midcon	500	162	162	162	—8
Midamr	1166	15	15	15	—2
Mindustrl	500	$5¼	5¼	5¼	
Minrl Res	500	130	130	130	
Molsom A	4675	$15⅝	15⅜	15½	
Molson B	300	$14¼	14¼	14¼	+¼
Mon Inv w	1000	70	70	70	+20
Monenco A	1750	$9⅛	8⅞	9	+¼
Mtl Trust	250	$14	14	14	—¼
Moore	6616	$30¼	30	30¼	+¼
Mt Wright	z325	13	11	13	
Murphy	1150	$11⅞	11⅜	11⅜	—¼
N B Cook	900	83	83	83	—7
NBU Mine	11700	105	102	105	
NRD Min	1300	32	32	32	
NaChrs I	3400	$7⅜	7¼	7⅜	+⅛
Nat Pete	11100	98	90	94	—4
Nat Trust	1000	$16	16	16	
Nemco	17900	275	257	262	—13
NB Tel	1407	$20⅝	20¼	20⅝	+⅜
N Dimens	8300	112	111	112	
N Goldvue	6500	12½	12½	12½	—½
N Provid D	2500	15	15	15	
N Que Ragl	1470	120	115	115	—5
N Senator	23000	7	6½	7	—½
N York Oil	8000	215	205	205	—8
Newconx	800	$6⅞	6⅞	6⅞	—⅛
Nfld LP A	1003	$15¾	15¼	15¾	+⅛
Nfld Tel	2500	$8⅜	8¼	8¼	—¼
Nfld Tel A	240	$18	18	18	
Nfld Te 885	100	$21¾	21¾	21¾	+⅛
Newnor	3000	5	4½	4½	—2½
Noble M	5000	110	103	110	+7
Noranda A	26840	$24	23⅜	23½	—½
Noranda B	1000	$23⅝	23⅝	23⅝	
Norbaska	1000	24	24	24	—1
Norcen	55074	$18⅛	17½	17⅝	—½
Norcn 150	1775	$28	27¼	27¼	—⅞
Nordair A	1500	$7¼	7¼	7¼	
NC Oils	100	$9½	9½	9½	
Nor Tel	2141	$27½	27¼	27½	—¼
NTecm B w	1000	$8⅞	8¾	8¾	—⅛
Northgat	4200	460	455	460	
Northld	51650	26½	23½	25	—1½
NS Savngs	300	$14½	14⅜	14⅜	—⅜
Nu-Wst A	425	$12	11¾	11¾	—⅛
Nudlama	1500	16	16	16	
Nufort Res	16333	17	17	17	—3
Numac	15580	$16	15⅜	15⅝	—⅜
Oakwood P	15100	$5½	5⅛	5⅜	—⅛
Obrien	14620	211	208	210	—2
Ocelot A	300	$14	13¾	13¾	—½
Ocelot B	7725	$14	13¾	13⅞	—¼
Orchan A	4000	190	185	186	+1
Orlando	400	$17⅛	17⅛	17⅛	
Oshawa A	5830	465	460	465	
Osisko	28000	18	18	18	+1
Oxford A	3050	$14¾	14½	14¾	+⅜
P to S					
Pac Coper	2700	185	175	185	+12
Pac Nth G	1100	350	350	350	—10
Pac Pete	24890	$37¾	37½	37¾	—¼
Page Pet	7978	$5⅛	490	5	
Paloma P	z30	$6⅛	6⅛	6⅛	
Pamour A	1825	485	475	485	+5
Pan Centr	1249	42	42	42	—3
Pancana I	300	105	101	105	+5
PanCan P	5450	$34⅞	34¾	34⅞	
Pango Gld	1000	33	33	33	+3
Patino N V	326	$14½	14½	14½	
Pe Ben O	5700	335	310	330	+25
Peerless	800	315	315	315	
Pembina	12900	$6⅞	6¾	6⅞	
P Dept S	6 414	450	450	450	—15
Petrofina	1000	$21½	21⅜	21⅜	—⅛
Petrol	7000	445	400	425	—20
Peyto Oils	6550	$9¾	9¼	9⅝	+¼
Phillips Cb	1000	$9⅛	9⅛	9⅛	
Pick Crow	16736	12	11	11	
Pine Point	550	$23⅞	23⅝	23¾	—¼
Pitts C	500	$6⅝	6½	6⅝	—⅛
Place G	8800	102	93	97	—3
Placer	11409	$23¼	22¾	23¼	+¾
Plysr 840	360	$26¾	26½	26½	—¼
Pominex	8001	90	80	80	—9
Pop Shops	1250	$7½	7¼	7½	
Pow Corp A	9165	$10	9¾	9¾	—¼
Pow C 4¾	z50	$31¼	31¼	31¼	
Pow C 5	125	$10⅞	10⅞	10⅞	+⅜
Prado Exp	8500	98	95	97	—3
Prairie Oil	1500	$20⅝	20	20¼	—⅜
Precamb	14200	280	268	270	—10
Preston	3000	$15	14½	14½	+½
Price Co	2633	$10⅛	10⅛	10⅛	
Provigo	100	$14	14	14	+⅞
Prov B Can	262	$13⅜	13⅜	13⅜	+⅛
QMG Hldg	1500	21	21	21	
Qasar Pet	1710	$15	14⅝	14⅞	+ ¼
Que Sturg	4684	102	99	99	+1
Ram	2375	$12	12	12	—⅜
Ranger	2050	$27⅝	27	27	—⅝
Rank Org	3100	490	490	490	+15
Rayrock	1125	127	116	117	—7
Readers D	700	$13½	13½	13½	+¼
Realty C w	1100	49½	49½	49½	—½
Realty F w	2000	55	55	55	
Redpath A	1450	$17⅜	17¼	17¼	+⅛
Redstone	4600	40	40	40	
Reed Pap A	13750	$6⅜	6	6⅛	—¼
Reed Oslr A	11165	$10	9½	9½	
Reichhold	4700	$6½	6½	6½	
Reich wt	900	270	270	270	+5
Rembrant	1600	360	360	360	—25
Res Servic	2541	155	150	155	+5
Revelstk	600	$7⅜	7	7⅜	+⅜
Revnu Prp	5338	71	71	71	
Rileys D	1000	120	120	120	
Rio Algom	1735	$26	26	26	—¼
R Little	700	185	185	185	—5
Rolland	550	445	430	445	+15
Roman	27250	$23¼	22	23¼	+1
Ronald Fd	200	$14¼	14¼	14¼	+¼
Ronyx Cor	500	128	128	128	
Rothman	600	$18	17½	17½	—½
Rothm 2p	525	$17	16¾	16¾	—¼
Rothmn w	1825	1	1	1	
Royal Bnk	8727	$27	26½	26½	—⅜
Royal Tr A	2443	$17	16¾	16⅞	—⅛
Russel H	1350	$8⅝	8⅛	8⅛	—½
Ryanor	3000	5	5	5	
St Fabien	11000	3½	3	3	—½
Schneid p B	1400	$9	9	9	+⅜
Scintrex	2000	86	82	85	
Scot Lasal	1310	160	155	160	+5
Scot Paper	z110	$25½	25	25½	
Scot York	1300	320	315	315	—5
Scotts A	600	$9⅜	9¼	9⅜	+⅛
Seagram	8460	$23¼	23	23	—⅜
Seco Cem	530	$9¼	9¼	9¼	+¼
Shaw Pipe	100	$8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	
Shell Can	14668	$16⅞	16⅝	16⅞	—⅛
Sherritt A	4653	$5	485	485	—15
Siebens	2890	$25	24½	24¾	—¼
Silvmq	59500	26	24	24	+1
Silverwd A	502	$7⅜	7⅜	7⅜	—⅛
Simco Eri	800	$5½	5½	5½	
Simpsons	10341	485	475	485	+5
Simpson S	3984	$7	6⅞	7	+⅛
Sklar M	5100	76	75	75	—5
Sklar W	7000	12	12	12	—1
Skye Res	18750	$11½	11	11⅛	—⅜
Skyline H	3900	210	201	210	+5
Slater Stl	1800	$7⅜	7⅛	7¼	
Sogepet	1502	150	146	146	
Sony Corp	200	$7¼	7¼	7¼	—⅜
Southm A	4935	$22¼	22	22	—⅜
Spar Aero	2600	$5	490	490	
Spooner	51700	57	51	53	—4
St Brodcst	2050	$10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	+⅛
Stelco A	6189	$25	24¾	25	+¼
Steep R	1350	241	238	238	—2
Steinbg A	1100	$16⅞	16⅞	16⅞	
Strathrn A	1850	44	43	44	+1
Stuart Oil	800	$12½	12	12	—1¼
Sud Cont	4500	18	18	18	+1
Sulivan A	4900	115	111	115	—1
Sunbrst E	5100	6½	6½	6½	—½
Surpass C	500	300	300	300	
T to Z					
Talcorp A	100	$8⅛	8⅛	8⅛	—⅛
Teck Cor A	2400	$6⅜	6¼	6¼	—⅛
Teck Cor B	6689	$5⅝	5⅜	5½	
Teledyne	300	$6⅝	6½	6⅝	
Tex Can	20846	$41½	40⅝	40¾	—⅜
Texaco pr	z1	$50	50	50	
Txsglf	6070	$22	21	21½	—¾
Txglf p	1000	$43	43	43	—1¼
Thom Ind	400	$36	35¼	35¼	—1½
Thom N A	2800	$12¼	12	12	—¼
Thom N pr	z20	$43	43	43	
Tombill	2300	45	42	45	
Toromont	400	270	260	270	—5
Tor Dm Bk	4775	$17⅝	17⅛	17¼	—⅜
Torstar B	100	$13½	13½	13½	—¼
Total Pet	8407	$11⅞	11½	11⅝	—⅜
Total P A p	1700	$23½	22¾	22¾	—1¼
Totl Pet w	2000	450	435	435	—20
Traders A	4590	$17⅝	17½	17½	—⅛
Trade 4½ p	z75	$56	56	56	
Tr 10¼	450	$11½	11½	11½	
Trade 7½ p	z85	$44¾	44½	44½	
Tr Can Res	87280	300	277	299	—1
Trns Mt A	5000	$8⅞	8¾	8¾	—¼
TrCan PL	10952	$15¼	15⅛	15¼	—⅛
TrCan A pr	e50	$85	85	85	
TrCan B pr	700	$36¾	36	36¾	6
TrCan C pr	510	$50	50	50	
TrCan D p	500	$56⅝	56¼	56⅝	+⅛
Treco Inc	300	385	385	385	
Trimac A	500	$15⅞	15¾	15⅞	+⅜
Trc 9.12	300	$25¾	25½	25½	—¼
Trimac wt	300	$9¼	9⅛	9⅛	
Trin Chib	21750	11	9½	11	+1½
Trizec Crp	224	$10½	10½	10½	—½
Trizec w	13500	8	8	8	
Tru-Wall	z500	88	88	88	
Tundra	5000	9	9	9	+2
Turbo R	7200	$6⅛	5⅞	6	—⅛
Ulster Pet	36100	137	121	121	—12
Ultramar	550	445	445	445	+5
Unican S	100	120	120	120	+5
Unicorp F	100	100	100	100	
Un Carbid	z50	$17	17	17	
UGas A	8627	$10⅞	10¾	10¾	—⅛
UGas 6 pr	z25	$37¾	37¾	37¾	
UGas 8¾	100	$24⅞	24⅞	24⅞	—⅛
Union Oil	5400	$15¾	15	15¼	—½
U Canso	13325	$10⅞	10½	10¾	—⅛
Un Corp	1040	$10¼	10¼	10¼	
Un Corp p	z5	$16¼	16¼	16¼	
U Keno	250	$8¼	8¼	8¼	—¼
Un Reef P	7000	27	26½	26½	—½
U Siscoe	6007	$7½	7¼	7⅜	
Un Tire 7p	1200	110	105	105	—15
UW OG	2000	57	53	57	+2
Univr Gas	3600	$9½	9⅜	9⅜	
U Sections	100	$5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	+⅛
Upp Can	15550	295	270	275	—23
VS Serv A	1500	495	490	495	+5
Venpower	3700	80	80	80	—1
Versatile	150	$10¾	10¾	10¾	+⅛
Versatil A	900	$10½	10⅜	10½	+⅛
Vespar	9000	35	34	34	—2
Vestgron	300	$10¼	10¼	10¼	
Voyager P	5600	$13⅝	12⅞	13¼	—¼
Vulcan Ind	2800	$10½	10⅜	10⅜	
Wajax A	740	$10	9¾	10	+¼
Walk GW A	5620	$29⅞	29⅝	29⅞	+⅛
Wardair	700	305	305	305	—5
Warn Can	200	$6½	6⅜	6⅜	
Wrintn	200	160	160	160	
Weldwod	1265	$11⅜	11⅛	11⅜	
Wstburne	11025	$18¼	18	18¼	+¼
Wcoast Pt	12600	$12	11⅝	11⅞	—¼
W Pet A p	z180	$23½	23⅛	23⅜	
Wcoast T	3723	$34¾	34⅜	34¾	
Wcoast w	6400	$7⅜	7¼	7¼	
Westeel	1100	$13⅝	13¾	13¾	—⅛
W Bcas A	z25	$9¾	9¾	9¾	
West Mine	1400	320	320	320	+5
Westmill	1000	86	86	86	6
Weston	500	$13¾	13⅝	13¾	
White P A	2680	$19⅞	19¾	19¾	
Whithorse	880	150	145	145	—5
Whonok A	712	$8⅝	8½	8⅝	+⅛
Willroy	400	210	210	210	—2
Wix Corp	500	360	350	360	—40
Woodreef	14700	73	70	71	—1
Woodwd A	2420	$17	16⅞	17	
Wrlwid	1000	$5⅛	5⅛	5⅛	
Yk Bear	1800	495	485	485	—5
York Cons	7000	75	75	75	
Y Lambton	5085	45	42	42	
Yukon C	4000	225	220	225	
Zellers	3863	$6⅝	6¼	6¼	—¼
Trust Units					
BBC R un	1430	$15⅞	15⅞	15⅞	
BM-Rt un	18555	$15	14⅞	14⅞	
BM-RT wt	21602	233	227	232	+3
C Perm un	1000	$9	8⅞	8⅞	—⅛
TD Realty	1230	$25⅛	24⅞	24⅞	—⅛

New York

NEW YORK (AP) — The stock market closed lower in moderate trading Tuesday, extending its losing streak for the fourth consecutive session.

CLOSING AVERAGES

	High	Low	Close	Ch'ge
30 Ind.	810.46	800.42	806.22	—1.73
20 Trn.	212.99	209.78	211.77	—1.03
15 Utl.	111.15	109.86	110.49	—0.39
65 Stk.	281.75	27x.11	280.20	—0.88

Stocks volume: Indus. 2,067,800, Tran. 434,300, Utils. 459,900, 65 Stk. 2,962,000. Total volume 23.25 million.

Market watchers said several factors continued to weigh on the market, including concern over the decline of the U.S. dollar in foreign exchange trading and the effects of seasonal selling by investors for tax reasons as the new year approaches.

There was little apparent reaction to the U.S. commerce department's upward revision of gross national product in the third quarter to 5.1 percent from its previously announced 4.7 percent level. The government said the reasons for the revision were primarily technical, relating to components used in calculations rather than reflecting a gain in real output.

Citicorp, off ⅛ to 21⅜ topped the active list as of the 4 p.m. close of the NYSE.

Active Stocks

Stock	Sales	Close	Net Ch'ge
Citicorp	393400	21⅜	—⅛
Dow Ch	301900	25⅜	—½
Marsh Field	301200	27⅞	—1⅜
Gen Motors	296200	61⅞	+⅝
Exxon	244800	46¼	—½
Am Airlin	242500	10⅛	—⅛
SearsRb	230900	27½	
Am Home	221900	26¾	+⅜
East Kodak	216300	49½	
Carrier Cp	206200	14⅛	—¼
Zapata Cp	204800	16⅞	+1⅞
Kennecott	183500	20½	+½
AmEl pw	180300	24¼	—⅛
Occiden Pet	177000	22	+⅛
PepsiCo	168800	27	+⅛

Alcan	25	Gulf Oil	26¼
All Chm	44	Homestake	37⅞
Al-Chlm	24⅜	Honeywell	44
AmAir	10⅛	Intl Steel	37½
Am Brnds	42½	IBM	264¼
Am Bcast	39⅞	Intl Harv	29⅝
Am Can	38⅜	Intl Nick	16¼
Am El P.	24¼	Intl Paper	41
Am Motor	3⅝	Intl Tel T	30
Am Tel T.	59⅞	Johns-Mann	30¾
Ampex	9⅜	Kaiser Alum	29⅞
Atl Rich	49⅜	Kennecott	20½
Avco	16⅝	Kraft	45⅛
Avon	46¾	Litton Ind	14½
Bel How	14¾	Lockhd Air	14½
Bendix	37¾	McDon Doug	24⅝
Beth St	20	Merck	54¼
Boeing	27⅛	Mer Lynch	14½
Boise Cas	24¾	Minn MM	45½
Borden	30¼	Mobil Oil	62⅝
Bo-War	26⅜	Monsanto	55¼
Bri My	32¼	Motorola	33¼
Brunswick	14½	NCR Corp	38¼
Burl Ind	20⅞	Natomas	36⅜
Burl Nor	41½	Newmont	17⅜
Burroughs	68¾	Nort Si	19⅜
Caterpill	53¼	Pac Gas	23¾
Col Bcast	48½	Pan Am	5
Celanese	42½	Pepsi	27
Ches-Ohio	31⅜	Ph Morris	60¾
Chrysler	12¾	Ph Pete	27¾
Coca-Cola	36¾	Pit Bowes	19⅛
Col-Palm	21¼	Polaroid	26
Comsat	30	Proc Gam	82¾
Con-Data	27	RCA	26⅞
Con Edison	25⅛	Repub Steel	21¾
Cons Oil-G	27¼	Safeway	40⅝
Crown Cork	25⅛	Schlumbgr	69⅞
Crown Zell	32½	Scott Paper	13½
Disney	38½	Sears Roe	27¼
Dow Chem	25⅜	Shell Oil	32¼
Du Pont	116⅜	Singer	18½
Ea Air	5⅞	Sperry	34
East Kod	49½	Stand Cal	39
El Paso	16	Sun Oil	43⅛
Exxon	46¼	South Pac	33½
Fair Cam	23⅛	Teledyne	60¾
Fed N Mt	27	Telex	3
Firestone	15⅜	Texaco	26½
Ford Mot	44⅛	Tex Gulf	19⅜
Gen Dyn	44⅜	TWA	8⅞
Gen El	47¾	Uni Carb	40¼
Gen F	30½	Uni Pac	46⅛
Gen Mot	61⅞	Uni Oil	50⅞
Gen T E	31⅛	UAL Inc	19¾
Gen Tire	22⅜	US Steel	29⅞
Geo Pac	27	Westnghse	17⅝
Gillette	23½	Woolwrth	18¼
Goodyear	16⅞	Xerox	45
Greyh	12⅛	Zenith	13⅞

BOX SCORE

	Tues.	Mon.
Issues traded	1923	1932
Advances	454	412
Declines	963	1063
Unchanged	506	407

SOME MISSING

London gold and metal quotations were unavailable from the source Tuesday.

COUNSELLOR—SUPERVISOR

Required by Alcohol and Drug Family Counselling Service. Must have 2 to 5 years' experience in the field of alcohol and drug dependency and be fully qualified to take command of counselling office. Duties to include individual and family counselling, participation in education and industrial programs and managing therapy groups. Should be able to integrate well with community services, have a sense of dedication and possess ability to deal with alcohol and drug related problems of people of all types. Reply with resume and references by December 30th to Powell River Alcohol and Drug Society, 4471 Joyce Avenue, Powell River, B.C. V8A 3A8.

MALASPINA COLLEGE

PART-TIME INSTRUCTOR

The following instructor will be required during the Spring Semester 1978, commencing the week of January 9.

Physics 100G (an Introduction to Physics): To teach a preparatory physics course and one first year lab course.

Applicants require a Bachelor's degree or equivalent. Applications and curriculum vitae should be submitted by qualified persons no later than December 28, 1977 to:

John Rostron,
Assistant Dean of Instruction,
Malaspina College,
900 Fifth Street,
Nanaimo, B.C. V9R 5S5

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Vancouver

VANCOUVER (CP) — Prices were down in moderately active trading Tuesday on the Vancouver Stock Exchange. Volume was 2,024,790.

Ionarc Smelters led trading in industrials, staying unchanged at .07 on 5,500 shares. International Hydrodynamics lost .09 at .30 on 5,000, Proflex Ltd. was unchanged at .10 on 4,000.

On the resource and development board, Celico Resources gained .27 at $1.62 on 80,600, Ventora Resources gained .30 at $1.55 on 66,580 and Golden Standard lost .01 at .16 on 61,500.

Vancouver Stock Exchange—Dec. 20

Complete tabulation of Tuesday transactions. Quotations in cents unless marked $. Net change is from previous close of same lot type.

Stock	Sales	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
Resource and Development					
Afton	1100	$6½	6½	6½	—⅛
Aleta	z200	12	12	12	
Andex	4500	13	11	11	
Anglo Bo	19400	189	160	185	—4
Arcdia	17500	15	11	11	—3
Arex	3000	12	12	12	
Aroden	2600	19	17	17	—2
Avino	1000	22	21	21	—1
Azure	14500	63	55	63	
Balfour	500	40	40	40	+3
Barier	3500	39	38	38	—2
B	5000	94	90	91	—4
Benson	12500	16	15½	15½	—½
Bmeda	600	112	112	112	+2
Brendx	14340	16	15	16	+1
CDR R	1500	10	10	10	+½
C T Exp	2500	125	120	120	—5
BX Dev	10220	380	380	380	—5
Camro	500	36	36	36	
C Barr	5100	130	125	125	—5
Car Bell	1000	4	4	4	
Carolin	3100	270	255	270	+15
Casino	4650	13	13	13	—3
Castle	550	140	135	135	
Celico R	80600	164	135	162	+27
Chanda	z100	38	38	38	
Chnl Gld	900	8	8	8	
Charltn	14200	63	61	61	—2
Cheyen	10989	325	320	325	+5
Chrmx	4500	13	12½	12½	
Cima	z112	48	48	48	
Citlec	1500	23	23	23	
Claymr	3500	38	36	38	+1
Cst Cop	z250	38	38	38	
Colby	2600	145	140	140	—10
Clonial	12500	115	105	105	—5
Colt Res	14100	24	22	24	+3
Cmaplx	8500	110	102	105	
Comet	500	50	50	50	
Con Am	6500	55	53	55	+2
Cns Klco	2000	14	14	14	
Cop Ex	19000	5	4½	4½	—1
Copr Lk	12000	14	13	13	—2
Coralta	3000	58	54	58	+5
Coseka	2125	$7¾	7¾	7¾	
Coynex	10800	70	65	65	—15
Cream S	3000	12	12	12	—1
Cube Re	z200	30	30	30	
Dankoe	5240	265	250	250	—20
Drkhak	7000	25	25	25	
Davnpt	7201	46	45	45½	—1½
Dav Kys	500	12	12	12	
Delta	13100	110	100	105	—10
Dora Ex	5100	23½	20	23	—2
Dual res	1000	65	65	65	
Erly Brd	1000	10	10	10	
Eltron	z200	27	27	27	
Five Str	29629	41	36	38	—3
Focus R	3000	745	740	740	—10
Frehld	1000	41½	41½	41½	
Futurty	3500	75	71	72	—5
Galaxy	z100	16½	16½	16½	
Galvstn	9900	54	53	54	+3
Gbritar	1000	445	445	445	
Global	4500	31	31	31	
G Gate	12500	35	32	35	+3
Gdn Gnt	3600	13½	13½	13½	—½
Gldn Std	61500	16½	15½	16	—1
Gld Rvr	11000	15½	14½	14½	—1½
Grnduc	z200	70	70	70	
G Hercul	12301	30½	30	30	—2
G N Pete	16900	34	32	32	—1
Grndst	2771	40	37	37	—3
Hallmk	13000	32	30½	32	
Hecate	4750	145	143	145	
Henriet	2750	35	34	34	—1
Hlnd Cr	z400	49	49	49	
Hmont	437	105	105	105	—5
Holofi	7000	50	50	50	—2
Host	6300	110	110	110	—10
Ice Stat	500	30	30	30	
Imp Met	1000	23	23	23	
Intgold	2166	35	35	35	
Itl Bmc	2000	33	33	33	—1
Intl Pyr	8660	32	28½	30	+2
IShasta	5100	75	72	75	+1
Iskut	500	4½	4½	4½	
Kamad	6000	20	18	20	—3
Kent E	6400	29½	29	29	
Kindx	1700	17	17	17	
Laura	1000	7	7	7	—1
LMC R	6740	11½	10	11½	+½
Logtng	6500	100	95	100	+10
Lori E	3000	13	13	13	
Major	1175	210	210	210	
Makao	4000	8½	8½	8½	
Marge	2001	14½	14½	14½	
Mark V	6500	120	110	110	—10
Mvrck	800	20	20	20	+2
Mirmit	1500	62	60	62	+2
Mos Crk	3000	100	90	100	+7
Mt Wash	500	9	9	9	
Mtn Stat	9300	235	225	234	—2
Musto E	21500	91	88	90	
Nadina	1500	6	6	6	—1
Nevex	20000	8	8	8	
Nwcst	6000	13	12	12	—1
Nw Min	2200	47	46	46	
Ni Cal	4400	$10¼	10¼	10¼	
Nicola	2500	12	11	11	—1
Norco	5650	138	130	130	
Norex	500	49	49	49	
Nthair	4700	250	235	235	—10
N Atlant	2667	11½	11	11½	+½
N Hart re	1160	22	22	22	+2
N Bulion	1701	12	12	12	+1
NW Vent	2000	80	80	80	+5
Nuspar	1600	22½	22	22	
Oxbow	2700	245	245	245	+5
Pac Cas	14500	27½	27	27½	
Pac Cyp	8600	52	51	51	—1
Pcifc Rs	7500	17	16	16½	+1
P Acher	1125	18½	18½	18½	—½
Pthfndr	501	24	24	24	+1
Pegsus	1000	67	67	67	
Perry R	4400	160	150	160	
Plains P	2000	33	33	33	
Prince	1500	12	12	12	—4
Prism	22500	51	49	50	
QC Exp	7700	60	50	60	+15
Qtsino	37500	24	22	22	
Ramco	36500	25	22	25	+4
Ramm	z1	40	40	40	
Redfrd	10000	34	34	34	—2
Rimrck	24200	108	100	105	+5
Rio Plat	7000	21	20	21	
Robert	4500	27	25	27	+2
Rosmc	700	13	13	13	
R Agsiz	17035	39	37	38	+1
Sabina	1500	63	62	62	—2
Sna Res	12200	81	78	78	—2
Sachm	2500	20	20	20	
S Jcinto	7000	28	27	27	
Seafrth	5500	18	18	18	
Secrtrt	7230	26½	26	26½	+½
Seneca	7000	85	76	76	—11
Sheba	500	15	15	15	—1
Shield	1300	45½	45½	45½	
Silmil	z166	14	14	14	
Slvrdo	z333	18	18	18	
S Chief	6000	47	45	45	—3
S Christl	2500	28	28	28	
S Stndrd	7900	55	52	55	
Skat Res	1500	175	163	165	—10
Slocan	3000	36	35	36	+1
Sonc Ry	z150	9	9	9	
Stall Lak	z100	25	25	25	
Stampd	3505	320	310	310	—10
Sunlite	1600	385	385	385	—15
Susie Gd	9900	108	105	105	—7
Syn trc	1500	80	80	80	
Tcoma	7700	76	73	73	—1
Terra	1000	390	385	390	
Thor Ex	10700	225	201	215	—10
Thundr	8333	15	15	15	+2
Tint Slv	2000	31	31	31	+1
Torngn	10500	50	50	50	+2
Tricor	12500	20	18	18½	+½
Trinity	8800	340	320	340	—10
Trsmo	7900	18	17½	18	—½
Tyee	15500	55	51	55	+2
UCbrge	4300	33	33	33	—1
UFC	4320	15½	12½	15½	+½
U Hrne	4600	390	390	390	—10
U Wstld	17750	83	80	81	—1
Vally Co	100	$7¼	7¼	7¼	
Van Silv	1000	40	40	40	
Vntrl	15125	27	26	26	
Vntor R	66580	155	130	155	+30
Vestor	7000	44	43½	43½	—½
Wlcm N	5700	135	131	131	—4
W Mines	2100	320	320	320	+5
Wharf	10000	23	22	22	—2
Wndmll	10000	55	54	55	
Ykn Rev	17200	21	20	21	+1
Yukn Gd	3000	38	38	38	
Zenore	z300	30	30	30	—20
Warrants and Rights					
Hecat wt	1000	33½	33½	33½	
Mgs Cr w	14900	50	50	50	+4
Sloc wt a	20000	2	2	2	+1
Sna Wt b	8000	10	10	10	—2
Windl wt	7000	11½	11	11½	
INDUSTRIALS					
Ardiem	3000	18	15	15	—3
Austin	z300	20	20	20	
Baldwn	500	10	10	10	
Block Br	180	$7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	
BC Tel	1000	$15⅛	15	15	
Bur Mtg	100	365	365	365	
Cdn Jvln	z833	94	94	94	
Cn Pa In	400	$19⅝	19⅝	19⅝	
C P	500	$17½	17½	17½	
Comput	3000	16	16	16	
Daon Dv	400	$16½	16⅜	16½	
Doman	800	$5¼	5¼	5¼	
Gestalt	2900	13	12	12	
GN Land	600	59	59	59	+1
Grouse	1000	115	115	115	+15
H Roach	900	120	120	120	—5
I Hydro	5000	35	30	30	—9
Ionarc	5500	7	7	7	
M B	200	$17⅛	17⅛	17⅛	—⅛
New Key	z25	70	70	70	
PN Gas	100	350	350	350	
Proflex	4000	10	10	10	
T Dim I	950	15	15	15	
Warrants and Rights					
NB Ck W	1000	4	4	4	
VANCOUVER CURB EXCHANGE					
Aaron	7400	105	100	100	—10
Abella	14000	22	21	21	—1
Acacia	1000	45	45	45	
Adar	2000	5	5	5	
Amber	50000	45	42	42	
Aries	700	27	27	27	
Arizako	800	25	25	25	
Ashcrft	z200	37	37	37	
Avlnch	z300	56	56	56	
Bch Gld	11000	11	11	11	
Berkly	600	29½	29½	29½	
Betina	1800	33	32	32	
Bishop	6000	28	26½	26½	—1
Brent	7800	145	140	142	—3
Br Pac	3000	35	35	35	+2½
Canzna	5000	21	21	21	
Caprice	7500	6½	6½	6½	
Chanel	5000	25	25	25	
Cherke	500	47	47	47	—3
Clytron	1100	200	200	200	
Cleaver	7000	14	10	10	
Cst Int	500	25	25	25	—5
Cobre	1000	10	10	10	
Cinola	5000	63	45	45	—19
Cyclon	150	210	210	210	
Dallas	1000	140	140	140	
Darva R	19500	24	21	21	
Data Sys	3500	15	15	15	
Decade	4000	18	18	18	—5
Diana	4500	22	21	22	+1
Dorita	31000	52	48	50	
Edina	23500	45	42	43	—2
Envoy	9000	14	14	14	
GBX Mn	7000	11	11	11	
Gentry	1000	90	90	90	—1
Gillian	4000	18	18	18	
Gold An	500	40	40	40	—4
Gn Smrk	500	27	27	27	+2
Grove E	4000	22	22	22	—1
Hercon	2000	11	11	11	
Hesca	13000	11	10	10	—1
Hub	1000	15	14	14	—2
Icoast R	1667	54	53	54	
I Graph	z1	32	32	32	
I Wellin r	2500	56	50	56	
James I	z100	50	50	50	
Juniper	5500	10	10	10	
Kndahr	29201	71	66	70	+4
Keith	7000	20	17½	17½	—1
Kendal	501	14	14	14	
Kindke	5700	30	27	30	+5
Lanter	3000	52	51	51	
Leman	40500	63	60	60	—2
Lion Mn	4000	38	38	38	
Lustre G	700	117	117	117	—8
MCP R	4000	84	79	79	—6
Mabee	29000	19	17	18½	—½
Mace Te	5400	140	139	140	+1
Mainl A	1000	150	150	150	
Meridn	2000	11½	11½	11½	+½
Mt Grnd	1000	86	86	86	—4
Mtneer	21000	38	38	38	
NCA Mrl	17460	32	30	31	
Nahatl	6500	13	13	13	
N Aston	2100	135	135	135	
N Frontr	11500	42	35	42	+4
Nwtch	12333	10	10	10	
Nomad	7000	12	11	11	—3
Norwih	1000	13½	13½	13½	—½
Orina	1000	16	16	16	+1½
Pan Arc	10700	205	200	200	—5
Paulsn	6000	6½	6½	6½	
Petrox P	1000	35	35	35	
Phnx El	2000	11½	11½	11½	
Poney	5000	23	23	23	—½
Qstmnt	10500	53	50	53	+3
Quinto	2000	35	35	35	
Rainbw	1500	21	21	21	
Rebel	10000	50	47	50	
Regncy	600	470	465	470	—5
Rich Hil	9000	6½	5½	6½	+1
Robina	1000	35	35	35	
Rockel	9000	5	5	5	+1½
Ruskin	4200	62	62	62	+2
Sanil Ind	5500	60	55	55	+8
Santa S	17000	30	28	30	+1
Saturn	6000	67	65	67	—1
Sothcn	3000	26½	26½	26½	
Sov Met	3500	25	25	25	
SS Icecr	2700	40	40	40	
Tandm	5000	42	41	41	—4
Thdr Ck	7600	175	170	170	—10
Tofino	4500	26	25	25	—1
Tri Star	1200	375	375	375	—15
Valdez	z300	20	20	20	
Vantag	3000	45½	45½	45½	
Westly	2000	24	24	24	
Wstmnt	500	16½	16½	16½	
Westnd	11000	24	22½	22½	—2½
TOTAL VOLUME				2,024,790	

Silver

Closing basic price of 1,000-ounce certificates in the Victoria area, according to the Scotiabank, $4.69 U.S. bid per troy ounce and $4.72 asked. Previous day $4.64 and $4.67.

Money

Purchase price of U.S. funds in Victoria area 1.0870 for cash, 1.0875 for traveller's cheques and 1.0770 for coins, according to the Royal Bank. Selling rates are 1.1055 for cash and 1.1025 for cheques.

MONTREAL (CP) — U.S. dollar in terms of Canadian funds closed Tuesday up 27-100 at $1.0931. Pound sterling was up 61-100 at $2.052x.

In New York, the Canadian dollar was down 23-100 at $0.9148. Pound sterling was up 1-10 at $1.87x0.

Nominal selling rates of other monies in Canadian funds: Australia dollar 1.2450 Austria shilling .0722; Bahamas dollar 1.0950; Barbados Eastern Caribbean dollar .5485; Belgium convertible franc .03295; Bermuda dollar 1.0950; Brazil cruzeiro .0764; Bulgaria lev 1.2120; China renminbi .6370; Columbia peso .0306; Czechoslovakia crown .1995; Denmark krone .1887; France franc .2300; Germany mark .5165; Greece drachma .03150; Hong Kong dollar .2375; Hungary forint .0567; India rupee .1335; Italy lira .001255; Jamaica dollar .8945; Japan yen .004550; Mexico peso .04940; Netherlands guilder .4780; New Zealand dollar 1.1112; Norway krone .2130; Poland zloty .0586; Portugal escudo .0280; Romania leu .2201; South Africa rand 1.2620; Spain peseta .01347; Sweden krona .2322; Switzerland franc .5395; U.S.S.R. ruble 1.5420; Venezuela Bolivar free .2593;

Alberta

Stock	Sales	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
Abacus	13100	$6½	6	6½	—¼
Barons	7000	8	8	8	+1
Bashaw	20000	9	6½	6½	—2½
Cal West	1600	105	100	100	—5
Cinnabar	4000	93	90	93	+3
Commercl	8000	28	25	25	—6
Concept	9950	$6⅛	5¾	6	
Conventur	3600	$7⅛	6⅞	7	—⅛
Czar	1030	$17⅛	16½	16⅝	—⅞
Gold Lake	1200	160	140	160	+10
Howe Snd	3500	42	40	40	—5
Invictus	11800	19	18	19	+2
Jagor	4000	30	25	25	—5
Jetex	3000	40	39	39	—1
Missi	1000	45	45	45	
Mongowin	4000	75	75	75	—1
N FortyFor	2700	330	320	320	
North Cont	39000	4½	4	4	—½
Northrim	9700	235	226	226	—9
NW Trst prA	200	$10	10	10	
Omega	300	250	250	250	—5
Onaping	26000	64	53	57	+4
Peregrine	1000	56	56	56	+1
Petromns	500	14½	14½	14½	—½
Radial	3000	44	40	41	+11
Ranchmns	100	250	250	250	
Rio Alto	2700	175	175	175	+10
Sackville	17000	50	49	50	
Sastex	4000	12	11	12	+1
Savanna	3528	104	95	104	+1
Sparrow	1000	75	75	75	—5
Troy	2500	190	175	180	
Univ Expl	2500	245	240	240	—15
Universl Ur	1000	160	160	160	—10
Flin Flon	2000	32	32	32	+1
Clarepine	2000	50	50	50	+3

Mutual funds

Institute Members	
AGF Group	
Amer Grwth	4.59
Cdn Gs Egy	18.06
Cdn Sec Gth	5.39
Cdn Trusteed	4.70
Corp Invest	5.66
Corp Inv Stk	5.44
Gwth Equity	7.68
Japan	10.25
nMoney Mkt	10.00
Special	3.87
All Canadian Gr	
Compound	5.86
Dividend	6.35
Northrn Egy	4.07
Revenu Gth	3.74
Venture	4.16
4000	4.01
Bolton Tremblay	
nEquity	5.47
nyIncome	10.26
nInternatnl	6.69
Calvin Bullock Gr	
Acrofund	1.38
Banner Fund	5.07
CIF	4.27
Cambridge Gr	
Intl Energy	2.79
Intl Growth	4.57
Intl Income	3.55
Nat Res Gth	4.09
Univest	5.20
Growth	6.56
Ciag Inv Group	
nyCo-opera	9.98
nyLdmk GF	10.23
Eaton Group	
Commwth	16.24
Growth	9.95
Income	4.74
Internatnl	9.40
Leverage	4.80
Venture	4.55
Viking	4.98
Guardian Gr	
Enterprise	.91
GIS Comp	10.26
GIS Income	2.97
yGrwth Fnd	10.09
North Amer	3.99
Mutual Acu	5.78
Mutual Inc	4.67
Sec Income	9.60
World Equity	6.26
Investors Group	
yGrowth	10.14
yInternatnl	6.01
yJapan	11.09
yMortgage	5.00
yMutual	5.10
yRetiremnt	5.49
yProvidt Mu	6.46
yProvidt Stk	4.95
Planned Invest Gr	
Canada Cum	6.33
yPld Resour	5.15
yTaurus	6.40
Pret et Revenu	
American	9.38
Canadien	6.27
Fonds H	5.04
Retraite	6.84
Prudential Gr	
Growth	5.42
Income	5.42
Savings Invest Gr	
American	9.38
Canadian	6.27
H Fund	5.04
Retiremnt	6.84
Scotiafund Gr	
Scotiafund	.87
Scotiafd Mtg	1.06
United Bond Shr	
yRoyFund	6.08
yRoyFnd Inc	5.25
United Group	
yAccumula	3.71
yAccumu R	4.31
yAmerican	1.57
yCont Mortg	5.20
yHorizon	2.54
ySecurity	4.82
yVenture	2.80
yVenture Ret	4.33
Universal Gr	
Save Equity	9.27
Save Income	5.29
Non Members	
Assoc Inv	5.73
yBeaubran	3.95
CSA Mgmt Gr	
Goldfund	4.01
Goldtrust	3.19
Canagex Gr	
yBond	9.65
Fund	9.67
Internatnl	7.61
yMortgage	10.38
Capital Grth	10.40
xChase	5.91
nComCp Mtg	10.13
Desjardins Gr	
Canadian	7.49
yHypotheq	4.40
yInternatnl	7.99
yObligatns	5.41
Quebec	3.75
PEP	2.07
nySpec	5.86
yDixon, Krog	6.69
Dreyfus Group	
Inc	11.64
Internatnl	13.71
yDomin Comp	7.08
nExecutv Can	6.40
nExecutv Intl	1.59
xFid Trend	20.34
nFst Cn Mtg	10.44
Fiscon Fund	5.60
nHarvard	6.53
yHeritage	2.03
Industrial Gr	
Indust Amer	2.69
Indust Div	7.04
Indust Eg	7.00
Indust Gth	5.27
Indust Inc	11.11
Indust Pens	26.36
ITCO	5.41
Keystone Gr	
Cus K-2	4.82
Cus S-1	16.62
Cus S-4	3.85
Polaris	3.10
xLex Rsrch	14.23
xManhatn	2.38
Marlborough	6.32
Natrusco	12.56
NW Group	
yCanadian	4.51
yEquity	7.39
xOne Wm St	13.47
xOppenhmr	5.59
Pemberton Gr	
nPacific Div	5.51
nPacific Inc	2.79
nPacific Res	3.50
nPacific Ret	5.27
nPacific US	4.68
PHN Group	
yBond	11.05
Canadian	7.99
Fund	16.44
yPooled	29.02
nyRRSP	12.05
PMF Managemnt	
nPension Mu	6.85
nXanadu Fd	3.83
Principal Gr	
yCollective	6.57
yGrowth	4.87
yVenture	4.00
nPutnam	9.83
Sterling Group	
Equity	5.86
yMortgage	5.17
xTech	6.91
Temple Gth	14.25
Trans Canada Gr	
A	5.26
C	10.58
Special	4.13
yVanguard	6.99
yWestern Gth	5.28

Bonds

TORONTO (CP) — Prices were fractionally lower in active trading on the Canadian bond market Tuesday. The short end of the market, mid-, long-term and provincial issues fell one-quarter of a point. Corporate issues dropped one-eighth of a point. Day-to-day money was available at 6¾ per cent.

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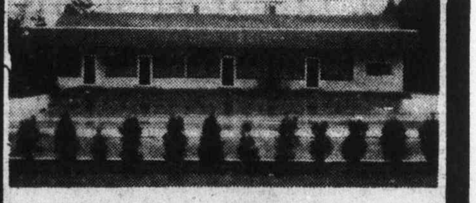

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DOLLAR POKER: U.S. holding aces

LONDON (AP) — The slump of the U.S. dollar is putting the squeeze on European businessmen and governments in what some economists see as an international poker game Washington is likely to win.

The risks are high, though. The stakes are high, too.

The stakes are eventual recovery from the worst world recession since the Second World War.

A primary risk is the danger that the dollar's slump might put heavy pressure on the oil-exporting countries to jump the price of their product.

The dollar has declined almost steadily through 1977, and the slump has accelerated through December. The U.S. Federal Reserve System, in what has been described here as a policy of "benign neglect," has intervened in foreign exchanges only to smooth out sharp fluctuations.

Determined support of the dollar was left to European state banks, forced to buy up more than $30 billion in a vain effort to keep the value of the U.S. currency from falling further.

In the meantime European businessmen saw the profit margins of their exports to the United States eroded steadily as the dollar sank. And at the same time, U.S. exports became sharply more competitive in European markets.

Here is a picture of how the dollar has declined in value over the last five years. The figures show the values of several European currencies, in terms of dollars, five years ago, last year and at the close of business Tuesday.

West German mark—31 cents, 42 cents, 47 cents.

Swiss franc—26 cents, 40 cents, 50 cents.

French franc—19 cents, 20 cents, 23 cents.

British pound—$2.60, $1.67, $1.8855.

The pound has made some comebacks since October, 1976, when the Britain's economic ills drove it to an all-time low of $1.5695. Last December, when the impact of oil production in the North Sea began to be felt, the pound started rising in value against the dollar.

The dollar's decline means that a Volkswagen, for example, will cost buyers in the United States more money if the West German company is going to get back the cost of the vehicle in marks. So far, however, most European companies have slashed their profits in order to keep from having to raise their prices in the United States.

A number of Swiss corporations are reported to be selling products without profit to avoid losing traditional markets.

The dollar has depreciated more than 11 per cent in relation to the West German mark since beginning of the year. That means a West German manufacturer who sells one-half his production for dollars, finds that his cash receipts have declined by 5½ per cent.

Conversely, a U.S. firm selling its goods in West Germany finds that it can cut its price on imports in marks by 11 per cent and still take back the same amount of dollars as before.

The situation is much the same in Britain where the pound has appreciated 9 per cent in dollar terms, in Switzerland where the Swiss franc has gone up 16 per cent, in the Netherlands, France and elsewhere.

Its decline was the symbol of the poker game going on between Washington on the one hand and Bonn, Bern, Brussels and other European capitals on the other.

It was the result of a genuine disagreement between the leaders of the industrialized countries on the best way to solve the world's economic problems of continued low growth, high unemployment and persistent inflation.

In its simplest terms, the argument is whether to reflate economies by priming the pump or fighting inflation by restricting the growth of money needed by industry to expand its output.

West Germany, Switzerland and, until recently, Britain put the battle against inflation first. The United States began priming the pump in 1976 to spur the economy out of the recession brought on by the four-fold increase in the price of oil in 1973.

The expanding U.S. economy was a godsend for the Europeans. They concentrated on exporting to the United States, while fighting inflation at home, and the U.S. trade deficit built up close to $30 billion this year.

A number of European leaders have spoken out in strong terms against Washington's apparent abandonment of the dollar, but economists recognize that the United States, as The Times newspaper put it, is "playing a strong hand."

Depreciation of the dollar has only a small effect on the U.S. economy because foreign trade accounts for only a relatively small part of total income from goods and services—the gross national product.

By far the largest import is oil and that is being paid for in steadily depreciating dollars.

But that is where the major risk of the U.S. policy lies. How long will the oil-producing countries, now meeting in Caracas, agree to go on accepting payment in devalued dollars?

$ 'Lite' fight opens

LONDON, Ont. (CP) — A labelling dispute between John Labatt Ltd. and the federal department of consumer and corporate affairs that has caused the company to halt production of a new beer will be decided by the courts, a spokesman for the brewery said Tuesday.

The dispute concerns Labatt's use of the word lite in its new beer Special Lite. The federal department defines light beer as containing no more than 2.5 per cent alcohol. The government says the word lite in the label on the new beer, which contains four per cent alcohol, is the same as the word light.

The brewery says its use of the word lite refers to the beer's calorie content of 99, about half the calorie content of normal beer.

The company will take the dispute to court in British Columbia.

Americans NOT rushing northward

SEATTLE, Wash. (AP) — The devalued Canadian dollar, worth about 91 cents in United States currency, has not proven to be a powerful cross-border retail trade lure, experts say.

American shoppers, guaranteed $1.10 for every U.S. dollar in some Canadian cities, are shopping, as usual, at home. One exception: Detroit, where a short drive brings shoppers to Windsor, Ont., and the bargains of devaluation.

Canadians, however, have responded to what for them is the most unfavorable exchange rate in 40 years. Fewer Canadians are crossing the border to shop in the U.S., officials and businessmen say.

No one knows for sure how much money is involved in over-the-border shopping each year, though in Washington state alone, Canadian retail trade was estimated at $2 million a week in 1976.

Businessmen lack hard figures but say Canadian buying in the United States has slackened. In many areas it has almost disappeared because of devaluation, says Alasdair McKichan, president of the Retail Council of Canada, based in Toronto.

Canadians were stunned last summer when their dollar, at times worth more than the U.S. dollar, dropped to 90 cents in value. Economists say a decline in Canadian borrowing, political uncertainties and burgeoning inflation caused the devaluation.

Though devaluation was good for Canadian exports, a hoped-for surge of American retail buyers has not materialized.

"I don't think people are busting a gut to rush up to Canada," said George Blaker, assistant manager of Holt Renfrew and Co. in Vancouver.

Traffic at such border stations as Champlain, N.Y., and International Falls, Minn., is reported normal by customs supervisors.

At Buffalo, N.Y., officials say there is no sign of increased American shopping in Canada. Most Canadian hotels treat the more-valuable U.S. dollar at par and stores giving a premium of more than seven cents are unusual.

Merchant groups, banks, department stores, hotels and others in Vancouver all say there has been no increase in U.S. trade.

"Zilch," is how manager Patrick McLarnon of Henry Birks and Sons Ltd. of Vancouver responds when asked about an American shopping binge.

The British Columbia government has sponsored a "Friendship Exchange" campaign in which businessmen guarantee Americans will receive $1.10 in value for every U.S. dollar they spend. Similar campaigns to attract American customers have been launched in Windsor and elsewhere.

Wayne Currie, deputy travel industry minister for B.C., says 10,000 B.C. merchants have pledged to give $1.10 for every U.S. dollar through Dec. 31. The province has advertised in half a dozen Washington state newspapers.

"The 10 cents on the dollar is a catalyst, a way to offer American shoppers a bonus," says Currie. "Border crossings on Thanksgiving weekend were up 20 per cent, and this was part of it."

But in Bellingham, Wash., about 145 kilometres north of Seattle, businessmen and bankers dispute Currie's claim.

"If you have a little money for dinner, the 10 per cent doesn't mean a damn," says Bob Stephens, executive vice-president of the Bellingham Chamber of Commerce. "It's kind of laughable. It's ridiculous. There just isn't any exodus from here to shop there."

As difficult to pin down is the decline in Canadian buying in the United States.

Canadian shoppers traditionally have been welcomed at Burlington, Vt., about 65 kilometres from the Quebec border. Some stores offer special services, such as French-speaking clerks.

"We find a substantial number of Canadians shopping year round in Burlington, although we don't have specific figures," says James Daley, executive vice-president of the Lake Champlain Chamber of Commerce.

"It's a short ride, an international visit and, in most cases, the prices of goods are lower here, even with the Canadian discount."

Last Friday, an informal survey of cars parked in downtown Burlington found 10 per cent were from Quebec.

Stephens and Al Stamey, manager of the Bellingham branch of Seattle-First National Bank, say businessmen report a slight decline in Canadian shopping, though border crossings by Canadians are up this year.

"Many Canadians are in the habit of coming down here and I think they are going to come down regardless of the exchange rate," said Stamey.

One noticeable area of Canadian shopping decline is real estate sales. Some Whatcom County, Wash., housing developments have a 90-per-cent Canadian ownership, but in recent months there has been little buying, Stephens said.

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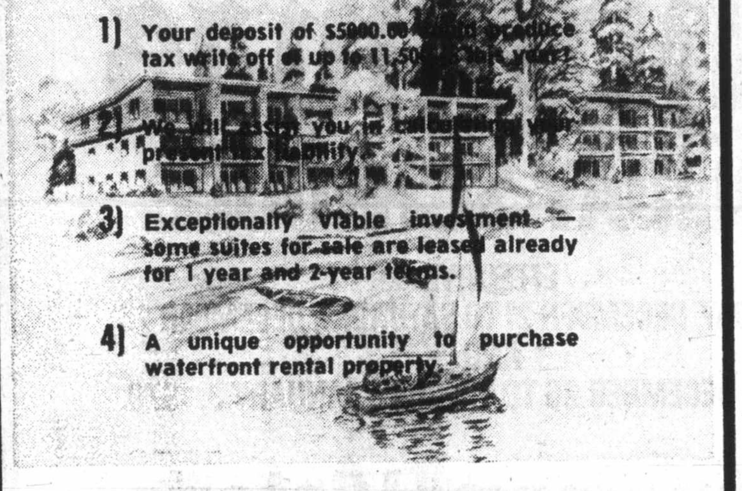

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Jly	—	—	—	216.50
Rapeseed Vancouver				
Jan	301.50	304.60	300.70	304.60
Mar	294.70	298.10	293.70	298.10
Jun	286.70	289.70	286.10	289.70
Rapeseed Thunder Bay				
Dec	—	—	—	270.00
May	—	—	—	293.00
Jly	—	—	—	266.00
Barley				
Dec	75.60	76.20	75.40	76.20
May	75.80	76.50	75.80	76.40
Jly	75.50	75.90	75.30	75.70
Oats				
Dec	74.80	79.80	74.80	78.50
May	72.20	74.10	72.20	74.00
Jly	—	—	—	71.60
Feed Wheat				
Dec	92.80	97.50	72.80	97.50
May	87.80	89.40	87.80	89.30
Jly	85.00	85.50	85.00	85.50
Rye				
Dec	113.90	114.10	113.90	114.00
May	115.50	115.50	115.00	115.00
Jly	113.50	113.50	113.20	113.20

CHICAGO

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat				
Dec	2.56½	2.58¼	2.56½	2.58
Mar	2.65½	2.68¼	2.65	2.67
May	2.70	2.73	2.69¼	2.72
Corn				
Dec	2.19¾	2.20½	2.19	2.19¾
Mar	2.24¼	2.25¾	2.23¾	—
May	2.26	2.28	2.26	2.28
Soybeans				
Jan	5.96	5.99	5.93	5.98½
Mar	6.08	6.09	6.01	6.08¼
May	6.13	6.13½	6.07½	6.13¼
Soybean Oil				
Dec		21.75	21.25	21.50
Jan		21.74	21.35	21.70
Mar		21.50	21.10	21.50
Soybean Meal				
Dec		163.00	160.30	160.30
Jan		162.70	160.50	161.20
Mar		164.50	162.30	163.00

London

LONDON (CP) — Closing stock quotations Tuesday in new pence unless pounds are indicated; x-indicates that quotations includes dollar premium based on latest conversion rate; 0.7236.; Associated Brit Foods 66; Babcock and Wilcox 114½; Bass Charrington 155; BICC 107½; xBlyvoors 415; BOC International 79½; Boots 221; Bowater 182½; Brit Am Tomb 282½; Brit Assets Trust 69; Brit Petroleum 854; Brit Petroleum new 870; xBroken Hill Prop 336½; Buffels 12; Burmah Oil 51; xCanadian Pac Stgx 12; xCharter Cons 130½; Cons Gold 179½; Courtaulds 115; De Beers 299½; Distillers 171; Dunlop 89; EMI 179½; xF.S. Geduld 15 3-16; Gen Elec 266½; Glaxo 585½; Grand Metropolitan Hotels 100¾; Gr Unv Stores 314; Guest Keen 272½; Hawker Siddeley 192; Hoover 378½; ICI 357½; Imp Tob 74¼; Kloof 587½; Marks and Spencer 158; Metal Box 298; Minorco 139½; xPhillips 845; Pilkington Bros 477½; Plessey 92; Rank A 244; Rio Tinto Zinc 181; Roan Consol 55; Sel Trust 395; Second Scott Inv 93¾; Shell T and T 529½; Tanganyika 137½; Thomson 644; Thorn 372; Tube Investments 356; Ultramar 229½; Unilever 5u6; Union Corp 247; Veals 15¼; Vickers 177; Western Driefontein 94⅞; Western Deep Level 850; xWest Mines 78⅝; W Holding 17½; Woolworth 63⅝; Zambian Copper 12½; BONDS: Brit Transport 67½; Brit Cons 23½; Treasury 8½ 99; War Loan 36½.

The Financial Times industrial index 479.6, up 9.8

Commodities

	Open	High	Low	Close
Gold, Winnipeg (per oz.)				
Jan78	160.10	160.60b	159.30a	160.60b
Apr78	163.40	163.60b	162.20a	163.60a
Jly78	165.80	166.90b	165.50a	166.90a
Copper, New York (per 100 lbs.)				
Dec	59.70	59.70	59.50	60.00
Jan	59.70	59.90	59.60	60.00
Mar	60.70	60.90	60.50	60.00
Porkbellies, Chicago (per 100 oz.)				
Feb	53.30	54.20	52.85	54.10
Mar	52.00	52.95	51.45	52.95
May	51.00	52.27	50.75	52.20
Silver, New York (per 100 oz.)				
Dec	465.40	469.50	462.50	470.00
Jan	466.20	471.00	463.00	170.60
Mar	471.50	477.50	468.70	476.80
Lumber, Chicago (per 1,000 b.f.)				
Jan	209.70	210.20	207.10	208.20
Mar	214.00	215.00	212.20	212.90
May	214.00	215.20	212.70	213.90

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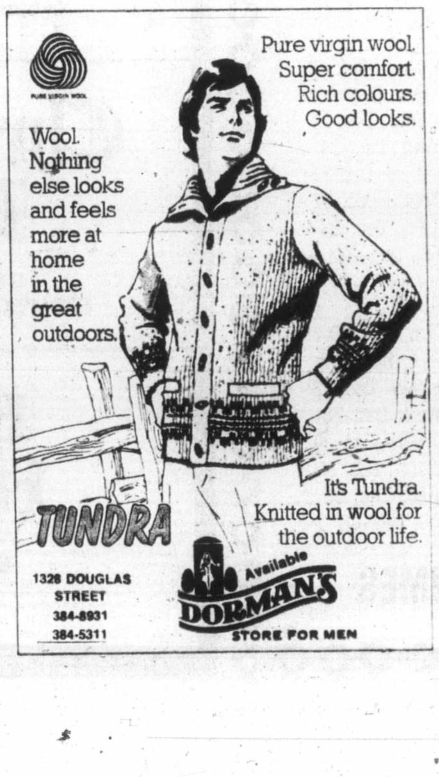
Livestock

CALGARY (CP) — Receipts Tuesday at the Calgary public stockyards totalled 1,071 cattle and 61 calves.

Slaughter steers traded steady. Slaughter heifers steady to 25 cents higher on good conditioned kinds. All grades of slaughter cows and bulls continued to sell steady to previous quotations.



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Union Builders protest hiring actions of hotel

By DON COLLINS
Colonist Reporter

Santa dropped in Tuesday at the Royal Olympic Hotel with about 50 of his helpers, but his usual "ho-ho" had turned into a "no-no."

The old elf (some spoilsport said he was a construction worker in disguise) was among demonstrators from the Vancouver Island Building Trades Council protesting the use of non-union labor for part of the hotel's major renovation program.

He carried a sign reading, "All we want for Christmas is jobs."

Council secretary John Schibli said the demonstration was staged to show the business community "we do have a problem with unemployment.

"We wanted to put out the message that our members support the business community throughout the year — there are 3,500 of them who spend their money here in Victoria — and now that we're in bad times we'd like the business community to reciprocate," Schibli said after his group of unemployed construction tradesmen had taken part in a "sit-in" at the Johnson Street hotel and an hour-long demonstration outside.

Schibli said the business sector could help out by not following the example of the Royal Olympic in enlisting the aid of non-union contractors once arrangements had been made to use union tradesmen.

He said most of the contractors involved had union agreements, but that two using only non-union help had been added to the list during the long renovation job that was necessary as a result of a fire that killed three people and gutted the hotel June 21, 1975.

When Santa and his helpers dropped out of the sky (or at least out of the Quadra Street Union Centre) Tuesday, they said their mission was to leave a message and not gifts. But, since the sit-in was staged in the pub, Royal Olympic owner Bill Wellburn wasn't so sure they hadn't presented him with a gift after all.

"Business was pretty brisk for a while," Wellburn said of the quick thirst-quenching undertaken by the group of 50.

Schibli said about 30 per cent of the Greater Victoria construction labor force was unemployeed. The figure hadn't varied for some time now and there was no promise of any improvement in the near future, he said.

The unemployment theme of the demonstration gave rise to an obvious question: How did Schibli and other union leaders expect to improve the employment situation by taking jobs away from non-union workers?

The answer is twofold: The main objective of the unions is to organize the unaffiliated workers. Beyond that, Schibli says, the union tradesmen provide a much more stable block of citizens where the local economy is concerned.

Non-union contractors, with no real security or fringe benefits to offer, attract a large number from the mobile work force, Schibli says.

"There are a lot of drifters who come in and out all the time."

Schibli said the building trades council could have followed the pattern of the past by removing union labor at the hotel because of the use of non-union labor.

"But we decided against being vindictive. We decided instead that as a special appeal to downtown business, we would confine our protest to a demonstration. I hope as a result of this, downtown business will be aware of our position. Our people need work."

Meanwhile, the hotel owner said the demonstrators hadn't accomplished anything, as far as he was concerned.

"They came and went, and nobody paid any attention to them."

That might not be the case next time, though, Wellburn warned.

The hotel's lawyers had been advised and, in turn, had spoken to the Labor Relations Board.

"And, if they do it again, we'll be ready for them," he said.

With this hanging over his head, the old elf might have lost his jolly image — had it not been for that pub sit-in.

Union Santa

Caroling MPs off for break

OTTAWA (CP) — MPs sang Christmas carols as they paraded from the Commons to the Senate, where amendments to the Canada Elections Act received royal proclamation Tuesday.

The amendments, which set limits on the amount of money parties and candidates can spend in federal elections, received third reading in the Commons last week.

Traditionally, changes to the Elections Act are not implemented for about 60 days after royal proclamation.

MPs sing Christmas carols every year on the last day before Parliament recesses for the holiday season. The session resumes Jan. 23.

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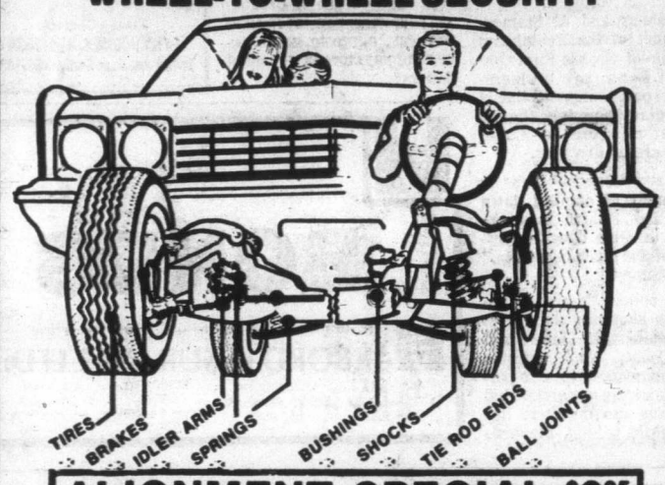

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Blacks, whites say talks made progress

SALISBURY (AP) — Black and white Rhodesian political leaders said they made progress Tuesday in the sixth round of talks on black majority rule.

Prime Minister Ian Smith was chairman of the meeting. Black leaders present were Bishop Abel Muzorewa, president of the African National Council, Rev. Ndabaningi Sithole, president of an ANC splinter group, and Jeremiah Chirau, president of the Zimbabwe United Peoples Organization.

Zimbabwe is the black African name for Rhodesia.

As the leaders talked, the war black nationalist guerrillas have waged for more than five years against Rhodesia's white-minority government continued.

The military command said six people, including three guerrillas, were killed in the previous 24 hours.

Smith has agreed in principle to universal adult suffrage in return for constitutional safeguards for the future of the country's white minority. Blacks outnumber whites 6.4 million to 268,000 in Rhodesia, which unilaterally declared independence from Britain 12 years ago to stave off majority rule.

In the last week, six attacks have been launched on Rhodesian military positions — a new strategy by guerrillas, who previously tried to avoid contact with Rhodesian troops — and 95 people have been killed.

The guerrillas operate from Mozambique, Zambia and Botswana under the leadership of Robert Mugabe and Joshua Nkomo, who have refused to be involved in the current negotiations.

Beckenbauer can't play at home

FRANKFURT, West Germany (Reuter) — Franz Beckenbauer, who signed for New York Cosmos earlier this year, cannot play for relegation-threatened West German side 1860 Munich during the North American Soccer League winter break, the West German Soccer Federation (DFB) ruled Tuesday.

The DFB's league committee said Beckenbauer's application to join 1860, city rivals of his old club Bayern Munich, arrived too late.

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THE DAILY COLONIST — THE VICTORIA TIMES

Industrial limit pressed

BY BILL SMITH
Colonist Reporter

Retention of the residential flavor of the Harriet, Carey, Douglas Street area and encouragement of industrial use of land south of Boleskine is recommended in a planner's report presented Tuesday to Saanich's lands, planning and housing committee.

The report was commissioned by council earlier this year after an application to rezone land in the area from residential to industrial was rejected on grounds that industrial development would destroy the area's residential character.

The study area, bounded by Carey, Douglas, Harriet and the Trans-Canada Highway, is in the Saanich core district.

Of four possibilities considered, planner Gil Laurenson recommended an option which would limit industrial-commercial intrusion to the north side of Crease Avenue and existing office buildings on Cadillac, and rezoning back to residential of several industrially-zoned lots.

Laurenson said a major concern was retention of neighborhood cohesion. Cadillac Avenue, he said, still had a residential character and it was feared that once further development was allowed, homes would deteriorate and the block would become a ghetto of run-down single-family homes.

It was desirable, he added, to maintain a link with homes west of Harriet which are in excellent condition and require protection from development pressures.

Laurenson said the main objective was to maintain a stock of low-cost family accommodation.

Saanich's engineering department is designing a trunk sewer system that includes the study area, but is specifically concerned with servicing two adjacent development areas — the Vernon-Carey-Douglas and Douglas-Vernon-Saanich Place.

Upgrading of the highway and the Seymour-Vernon extension would cause major changes in traffic flows, Laurenson said.

The net effect of the changes would be to produce a quieter living area because of increased landscaping and the fact that Douglas would no longer be carrying large volumes of traffic.

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Saanich acts to fix old works mistake

The Christmas spirit was in evidence Tuesday as Saanich council's lands, planning and housing committee decided it should rectify a mistake made several years ago by the works department.

Agreeing that "perhaps an injustice has been done," aldermen empowered Mayor Mel Couvelier to open negotiations with Blenkinsop Valley farmer Harvey Lim on the question of compensation to return part of his land at Blenkinsop and McKenzie to agricultural use.

Only 24 hours earlier, council had killed a proposed subdivision on the Lim property when a rezoning bylaw failed to get the necessary two-thirds majority.

Couvelier, in an interview after Tuesday's meeting admitted council had discussed the matter after Monday's meeting and he had talked to Lim Tuesday morning.

Introducing the non-agenda item Tuesday, Couvelier said he wanted council to consider action regarding the property, in the light of Monday's decision.

Ald. Robert Cameron said the municipality was responsible for Lim's dilemma and "our mistake has to be rectified."

Council was told earlier this year that Lim's problems began when the stretch of McKenzie between Blenkinsop and Martha was constructed. The roadbed was not properly prepared because there was peat below the road, and it sank about 18 inches.

To stabilize the roadbed, the peat had to be removed both from the road and part of the Lim property.

It would take $43,000 to put 18 inches of topsoil on the property and about $28,000 for a 12-inch depth, aldermen were told.

Ald. John Mika asked for a report from the municipal solicitor on the events leading up to the situation, as well as staff reports on the work needed to restore the land to agricultural use.

Ald. Ian Cass cautioned that council should not be naive in thinking that Lim would find it desirable to have the land restored so that it could be worked again.

Vandals hit bulbs

Smashing bulbs has replaced jingling bells as the favorite sound of Christmas for many youngsters in Greater Victoria.

All police departments report that as householders put out their Christmas lights, the police can count on hearing reports of the lights being stolen and sometimes destroyed, and there's not a great deal that can be done about it.

"You've got to catch them red-handed if you're going to do anything about it," Colwood RCMP said.

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NAMES in the NEWS

Didn't kick Chip out, says Carter

U.S. President **Carter** has denied that his son, **Chip**, was "kicked out" of the White House last summer, and first lady **Rosalynn Carter** denies reports of a marital split between Chip and his wife, **Caron**. "I did not ask nor did I tell Chip to leave the White House," Carter said in an interview to appear in *McCall's* magazine. "It was quite the opposite." Mrs. Carter said her son had been under tremendous pressure to take over the family peanut business.

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For the first time in more than 30 years, **Rudolf Hess**, **Adolf Hitler's** former deputy, received a bunch of flowers at Spandau Prison in West Berlin Tuesday. **Ilse Hess** brought the roses and irises on a 30-minute visit to her husband on their 50th wedding anniversary.

Hess
...flowers

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Funeral service will be held in Vancouver Thursday for **Kenneth Francis Fraser**, fishing industry executive and former president of the Canadian Port and Harbor Association. He died Monday, at age 67.

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Former U.S. attorney-general **John Mitchell** will be released from federal prison next week because of his arthritic hip. Mitchell, 64, has been confined in the minimum-security prison at Maxwell Air Force Base near Montgomery, Ala., since June 22. He is serving a one- to four-year term for his involvement in the Watergate affair.

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Singer **Elvis Presley** has been honored posthumously with the Distinguished American Award.

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Nellie Tayloe Ross, the United States' first woman governor, has died at a nursing home in Washington at age 101. She was inaugurated governor of Wyoming on Jan. 5, 1925, succeeding her husband, **William Bradford Ross**, who died a few weeks before the 1924 election.

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Robert Lundrigan of Edmonton and **Charles l'Hirondelle** of Gift Lake, Alta. have been appointed to the Alberta Human Rights Commission for three-year terms.

Provincial court

Judge William Ostler told a young purse-snatcher he had a "callous and unrepentant attitude which must receive demonstrable condemnation," then sentenced him to two months in jail.

Lawrence Hillourd Derouin, 855 Douglas, appeared in Victoria provincial court Tuesday on a charge of theft under $200 and pleaded guilty after being denied bail.

Crown counsel Robert Mulligan told the court a 65-year-old woman, waiting for a bus Friday night at Cook and Burdett, turned around when Derouin came up from behind and said, "Hello, sweetheart," before grabbing her purse and running.

Mulligan said Victoria city police found Derouin crouched between cars a short distance away, rummaging through the woman's purse, which contained $190.

During the bail application, Ostler commented that the crime came very close to robbery, and denied bail.

Legal aid lawyer James Main then said his client wished to plead guilty to the charge.

Ostler said the crime was committed under reprehensible circumstances, and noted that Derouin exhibited a contemptible attitude despite being caught red-handed.

The judge took into account that Derouin was fined earlier this year in Burnaby on a conviction for possession of stolen property.

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A 24-year-old Lake Cowichan man who failed to show up for a trial and subsequent court appearance, changed his plea to guilty on a charge of theft under $200 and was also jailed for two months.

Russell Michael Amos had pleaded not guilty to the July 15 charge on Aug. 3 and a trial date of Nov. 14 was set. However, Amos failed to appear, and also didn't show up later to fix a new date for trial.

Crown counsel Richard Law said Amos broke into a car parked in the 600-block Pandora and took three bags belonging to an Alberta man. Witnesses saw Amos go to Centennial Square, where Victoria city police questioned him about the bags. Law said Amos told police he had just come from the bus depot, but a check of the bags showed identification similar to the registration of the car vandalized earlier.

Law read out a juvenile history which included four counts of breaking and entering, three counts of theft, and one count each of vagrancy, causing a disturbance and minor in possession of liquor. Amos' adult record included jail sentences for causing a disturbance, assault causing bodily harm, breach of probation, escaping lawful custody, possession of an offensive weapon, breaking and entering, and possession of stolen property.

His last conviction was for possession of stolen property on Jan. 13, 1977, and he received six months, Law said.

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Peter Donald Boldt, 21, of 1869 Foul Bay, was sentenced to one month in jail, placed on one year's probation and ordered to undergo any psychiatric or other counselling as required by his probation officer.

Boldt pleaded guilty Dec. 2 to possession of a stolen car and was remanded in custody until Tuesday for a pre-sentence report and sentencing.

Main told the court Boldt's troubles began about three years ago when he was stranded without a job in San Francisco, where he had gone in anticipation of a longshoring job, only to find a strike in progress.

Boldt then became "brainwashed" by the Moonies, followers of Rev. Sun Moon of South Korea, Main continued.

Ostler said he took into consideration the fact that Boldt had spent almost a month in custody awaiting disposition of the case.

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Three men were remanded until next Wednesday for election of trial method on charges of possession of MDA for the purposes of trafficking.

Jointly charged were 24-year-old Paul Ruben Cardiff and 21-year-old James McKenzie Stuart, both of 1158 Yates, arrested Sunday in Saanich. Both men were released in their own recognizance in the sum of $1,000.

Charged alone was 25-year-old George Charles Neil Thomas, 271 Cadillac, who was arrested Friday by Victoria city police. He was released on $1,000 surety bail.

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Fined for drinking-driving offences were: John Robert Anderson, 19, of 1830 Old Island Highway, $1,400 ($400 for an Aug. 4 conviction and another $1,000 for a Sept. 17 conviction); Clayton Paul Desjardins, 18, of Gowdy Road in Sooke, $450; and Stephen Richard Purdy, 23, of 2616 Peatt, $400.

In addition, Anderson was placed on six months' probation, ordered to take any counselling as directed by his probation officer and ordered to perform 50 hours of community service work, and Purdy was fined an additional $250 for filing a false report with Colwood RCMP.

I'll sell — Lance

WASHINGTON (AP) — Former budget director Bert Lance on Tuesday agreed to sell 60 per cent of his stock in the National Bank of Georgia to a Saudi Arabian businessman at $20 a share, $3 more than he paid for most of it, it was disclosed.

Robert Altman, a lawyer for Lance, said the businessman, Ghaith Pharaon, intends to acquire a majority interest in the bank, one of the largest in Georgia.

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5,000 neglect to get grants

At least 5,000 senior citizens in B.C. are missing out on cash grants from the provincial government.

Municipal Affairs and Housing Minister Hugh Curtis said Tuesday he was sure the majority of the estimated 5,000 citizens failing to claim Shelter Aid for Elderly Renters were unaware the benefits were available.

S.A.F.E.R. funds are available to elderly people who are paying more than 30 per cent of their total income for rent. The government will pick up 75 per cent of the amount exceeding the 30 per cent.

Curtis said 15,000 people had received $2.1 million in benefits since June, when the program started, "but many older people may not yet be aware of the program, in spite of best efforts by the media and the provincial government to inform them."

He asked that friends and neighbors of elderly people check to see if they were obtaining full benefits under the rental aid program and to encourage them to apply if they were not yet registered.

Curtis said he felt some of the senior citizens might be too proud to apply for the monthly cash grants to aid their rents, but stressed that the rental aid was no different from homeowner grants.

In January, he said, his ministry would resume its advertising campaign to try to find everyone eligible for the grants.

Price rift widens at OPEC

CARACAS (AP) — Oil ministers of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries delayed a working session Tuesday, causing speculation that a deep rift had developed over the question of raising oil prices.

During the lull, Mana Saeed Otaiba of the United Arab Emirates told reporters his country would bolt the group if his OPEC partners vote to increase oil prices. Otaiba and Ahmed Zaki Yamani of Saudi Arabia made the same threat last year, causing an OPEC split over prices and effectively scuttling a two-tiered increase voted by the majority.

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Christmas Greetings to all
PETER POLLEN FORD

Bennett orders Oak Bay voters' list update

By JIM HUME
Colonist Reporter

Premier Bennett said Tuesday he had instructed the chief electoral officer for B.C. to "hold an enumeration, or do whatever is necessary to bring the Oak Bay voters' list up to date."

The premier said he wanted the voters' list as "full and accurate" as possible for "this important byelection." Conservative MLA Scott Wallace is stepping down.

Asked specifically if he had authorized an enumeration (a full and official voter count) the premier answered "yes, and he (the chief electoral officer) has assured me that, if he deems so they can do it in the reasonable time limits that have been suggested."

The premier has also set Jan. 5, following a regular cabinet meeting, as the day he will announce the byelection date.

Asked later if Jan. 5 was the day he would issue the election writ "or just the day you will announce the day the writ will be issued," the premier said the announcement would be "important, and there will be other important announcements at the same time."

Bennett repeated his earlier promise that the people of the Oak Bay constituency "will be represented when the next session of the Legislature is called" but wouldn't confirm when that session would be called.

The Oak Bay Social Credit Constituency Association has not yet stated when it will hold its nominating meeting. With two candidates, Frank Carson and Brian Smith already in the ring, Bennett said he wouldn't be surprised "if other candidates came forward."

He also confirmed that the Social Credit constitution states that before anyone can vote at a nomination meeting they must have held a party card for at least 30 days.

"Our party makes provision to ensure that members are really interested before they can vote," Bennett said. "It's a fair time limit and it has never been controversial — and it does prevent the type of (nomination meeting) packing that could go on with other parties."

When pressed for a more specific date for the actual byelection, the premier said he "anticipated that there would be enough time for the two candidates who have announced at this time, and others I have heard may announce to seek the nomination, to carry out a full campaign.

"I'm sure the (Oak Bay) executive will keep that in mind in timing the nomination meeting."

In response to those statements the Colonist asked:

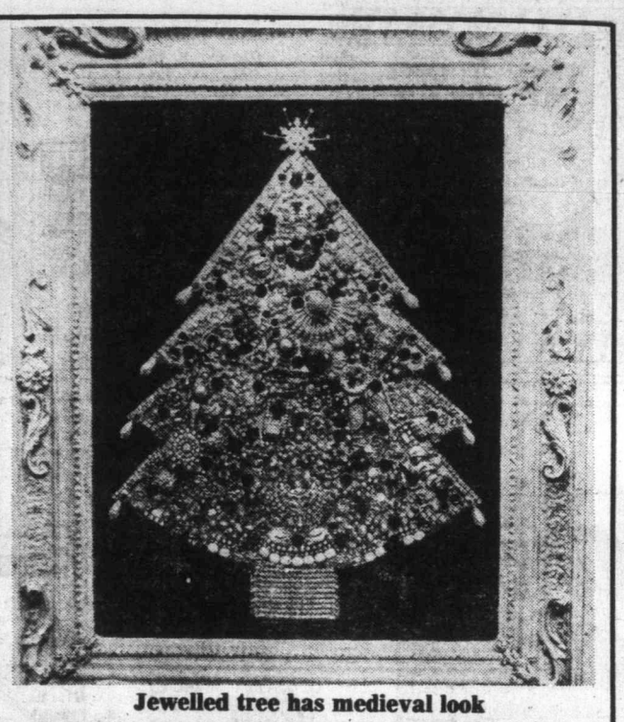
"Depending on what you decide to tell us on Jan. 5, maybe the (nomination) campaign is over right now?"

Bennett replied: "No, no it's not."

When it was suggested that 30 days from Jan. 5 was Saturday, Feb. 4, and therefore a likely day for the Oak Bay nomination meeting, Bennett laughed, but declined comment.

Working on the basis of the dates given and the positive statements made indications are that an enumeration will be announced in January, final nominations held early in February with voting day late February or early March and the 1978 session starting mid-March.

Melchoir, Balthasar and Gaspar, not necessarily in order



Jewelled tree has medieval look

Decorations with a difference

Mrs. McMullen

Not all of us get caught with last-minute things to do for Christmas.

Take Mrs. R. A. McMullen, of 9055 Ardmore, who began efforts to create something different for her home in the way of Yuletide tableaux a couple of months ago.

Her remarkable creations are the result of many hours work, how many she hasn't bothered to tote up, but they're so good we thought we'd share them with you.

The bejewelled three kings from the Orient look like authentic gilt medieval sculptures, but looks are deceiving.

Mrs. McMullen bought the faces and hands, arranged their positions on a wire framework, then covered them with a heavily-sized material available in craft stores called drape and shape. Moistened, it can be folded or molded into shape and it stays that way when dry.

Three coats of white gesso followed, with a spray coating of gilt and finally an antiquing process before the baubles, of the dime-store variety, were glued on. The gift-boxes of frankincense, gold and myrrh for the infant Jesus she carved from styrofoam.

The Christmas tree contains 40 miniature lights which refract and reflect off the jewels. The tree is mounted on red velvet glued to a 21 by 26 inch panel. Her husband did the wiring for the lights.

Then there are her friends, the Stratford Christmas carollers. The background is a blown-up poster made from slides taken in Shakespeare's hometown; the foreground of cotton batten; the lampshade a gift made especially by a neighbor.

Her "friends" are made from styrofoam balls mounted on bottles and trimmed with odds and ends of fabric.

"I had a lot of fun doing this. There's a lot of improvisation — string when I ran out of lace, for example, but necessity is the mother of invention," Mrs. McMullen said.

—Colonist photos by Alex Barta

Stratford Carollers in full voice

Hospital remedy in sight

By PAUL De GROOT
Colonist Reporter

A compromise solution suggested by a rookie member of the hospital and health planning commission could open the way to agreement on the future of Victoria General Hospital.

Victoria Ald. Robert Wright, attending his first meeting of the commission on Tuesday, proposed:

- Continuing with plans for a 300-bed hospital on Helmcken Road, including combined pediatrics and obstetrics services.
- Continuing acute-care, surgical, and ambulatory-care functions at Victoria General's present site, using 135 to 150 beds at the hospital which can meet modern hospital standards.
- Relocating 70 beds currently planned for the Helmcken Road hospital to Royal Jubilee, to compensate for the pediatric beds which it would lose to the Helmcken Road hospital.

The proposal was worked out over the last week in consultation with doctors, regional officials and directors, and health ministry personnel, including the minister, Wright said.

His proposals are an attempt to resolve the controversy over the region's hospitals without exceeding health ministry acute-care bed allocations for the region or the budget for the new facilities.

Wright
. . .his compromise

Combining pediatrics and obstetrics at the Helmcken Road hospital in the first phase of its construction is an attempt to satisfy the region's pediatricians who have argued persistently against waiting for the second phase of construction on the Helmcken Road hospital to put them together.

Wright's suggestion to retain acute-care services at the downtown site of Victoria General meets objections from doctors and residents of the surrounding areas to complete removal of acute care services in the area.

Most give nod

Wright's submission got a generally positive reception from the commission, which agreed to Wright's recommendations in principle and sent them on to its advisory medical and resources committees for comment.

Objections to the proposal came from commission members Betty Kennedy and Terry Prentice.

Changes in the makeup of the new hospital, now only two months away from start of construction, should be cleared with the architects and with hospital staff who have carefully worked out the relationships between hospital functions, Mrs. Kennedy said.

"If we send our advisory committees this report with our approval in principle, we're telling them 'we buy it, now prove that we are right.'" Prentice said.

He added that the committees should meet separately this time, to avoid confusing their responsibilities.

If they come back with different conclusions, the commission is responsible for coming up with the final answer, Prentice said.

The medical profession was guarded, but generally positive in its response to Wright's proposal.

Outspoken pediatrician Dr. Basil Boulton, who attended the meeting, said he had mixed feelings about the proposal, "but I do feel that I have been a voice crying in the wilderness, and someone has recognized that voice."

"But I'm serving notice on the politicians here and now that they have got to be prepared to get us the facilities we need to give the best care for children."

That includes, Boulton said, facilities to diagnose and treat cancer, kidney heart, brain, muscle and other diseases, and the social services that children need, without necessitating an ambulance transfer.

The compromise proposal, while not guaranteeing that, is a "giant step in the right direction," Boulton said.

Wright's suggestion is in some respects the opposite of what Victoria Medical Society president Dr. Douglas Critchley had proposed at a press conference last week — renovation of Victoria General hospital on its present site, and construction of a small acute-care facility in the Langford Colwood area.

That proposal was based on population and patient surveys indicating which areas of the region make heaviest use of Victoria General at present.

But the medical society's proposal looked like it was getting nowhere fast, Critchley admitted, and while it does not meet all of the doctor's objections, Wright's compromise has the advantage of retaining acute-care services in the downtown area, unlike the current plans.

"Safety is our main concern. With this proposal, any acute emergency that happens in that area can be looked after. That is the important point."

Shoal Bay park bylaw stalls

Oak Bay council delayed third reading Tuesday night of a bylaw that would permanently dedicate the site once proposed as the Shoal Bay sewage pump station as parkland.

Mayor Brian Smith used his tie-breaking vote after aldermen split 2-2 on whether to give the bylaw that would create Rattenbury Park third reading, after concerns were raised by Ald. Neil Swainson.

Swainson said the questions of right-of-way for the northeast trunk sewer, which runs through the property, and possible widening of Beach Drive, were still unresolved.

The bylaw was given first reading in 1976 after controversy broke out over a proposal by the Capital Region Board to build a major pump station to pump the output from the northeast trunk sewer over to Clover Point to join the outfall now under construction there.

Smith said he understood committee A, in charge of lands, had reviewed the bylaw and found it satisfactory.

Council also approved a recommendation from the parks and recreation commission that rents for private groups using the ice arena be increased from $30 to $35 an hour between 6 a.m. and midnight and from $25 to $30 an hour from midnight to 6 a.m.

Council referred to its estimates committee the proposed budget of the Greater Victoria Public Library system, with Ald. Shirley Dowell observing there was an item of $102,000 for four months' rental of the new library premises in the budget "when the lease hasn't even been approved yet."

The $102,000 addition to the budget assumes the central library will move into new premises leased from the provincial government as of Sept. 1, 1978.

If the library budget is approved unscathed, Oak Bay's share of the total budget next year would be $227,033, compared to $214,832 in 1977. The library's total proposed budget for next year is $2,352,566, up 15.5 per cent from 1977's $2,036,520.

TENTATIVE PLAN FOR NEW HOTEL

A tentative proposal for a major hotel complex with convention facilities has been submitted to Victoria city hall by Saanich businessman Henry Eng.

The development is to go ahead at the west side of the Inner Harbor, south of Johnson Street Bridge.

Deputy city planner Peter Crisp said Tuesday the city had received nothing more than an introductory letter indicating the developer was prepared to put together a comprehensive proposal for development of the property which now houses one of Eng's Warehouse food stores.

Eng couldn't be reached for comment.

'Doctors left out in the cold'

Regular consultation needed

Changes will have to be made in the regional hospital and health planning commission's committee system to make it more responsible, two Victoria physicians said Tuesday.

The commission's two main committees are the resources development committee, made up mainly of hospital administrative staff from hospitals in the region, and the health services committee, made up of doctors. The committees usually meet together, and their minutes are carefully perused at meetings of the hospital and health planning commission.

One problem is that the Victoria Medical Society, which represents about 75 per cent of the doctors in the region, has no official status with the commission, the society's president, Dr. Doug Critchley, said Tuesday.

"They set up their own medical advisory committee, and appointed doctors to sit on it on their own."

That lack of input has resulted in poor communication between the doctors and the commission with serious consequences for both sides, Critchley said.

"We don't get notices of meetings, agendas, or minutes from the commission. The doctors of the region have been left out in the cold."

Regional officials have been complaining recently that the doctors are only now making their feelings about the hospital situation known well after planning for a new hospital has been completed, and only months before digging on the site begins.

"We've been giving our opinions for 10 years," Critchley said. "But we've been doing it through the press, and that's no way to work with the hospital board and set something up for the region."

Critchley was not critical toward hospital board chairman Art Young, who said last weekend he was disappointed with the doctors tardiness in making proposals to the region in hospital planning.

"He may have been forced into that conclusion by the rules of the game."

With regular consultation between the region and the medical society "all the doctors could have gotten into the act, and wouldn't have things suddenly revealed to them," Critchley said.

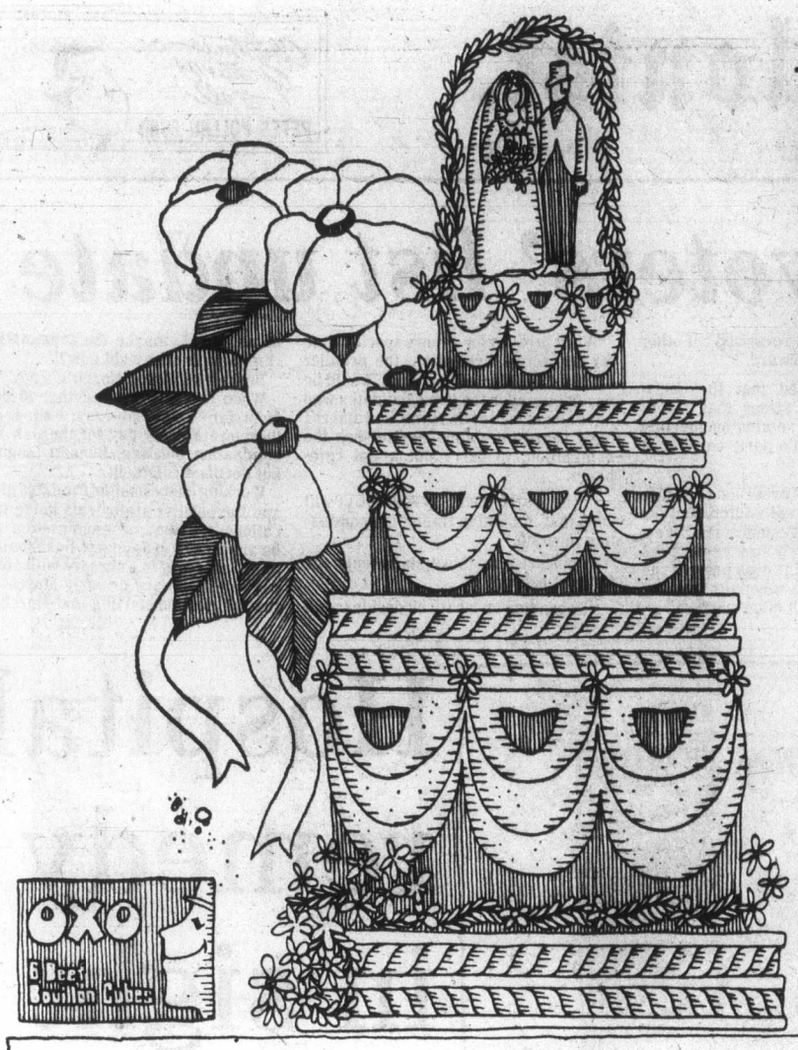
"That is just basic business sense."

Dr. Basil Boulton, a pediatrician who announced his resignation from the health services committee after it went against his advice regarding regional pediatric facilities, said Tuesday his attitude toward the committee could be changed if it became less political.

"If the committee is prepared to make decisions based on objective medical finding, I would of course be willing to stay on."

Boulton may get a chance to find out if the committee has changed when it meets next month to discuss a compromise proposal on regional hospital construction put forward by Victoria Ald. Robert Wright.

Since the commission has no regular meeting this month, it has had no opportunity to accept his resignation, submitted the day after the November meeting, and he will continue to be a member of the health services committee at least until the January meeting of the commission.



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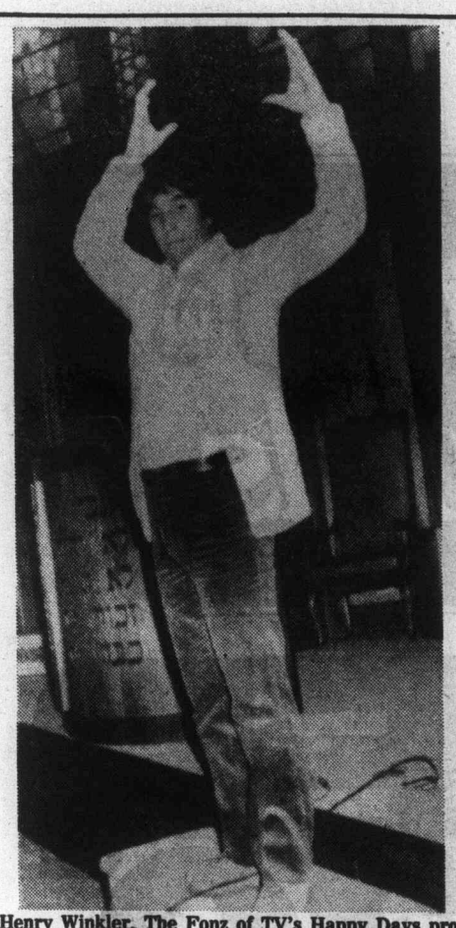

Henry Winkler, The Fonz of TV's Happy Days program, gestures in appearance at New York's Congregation Habonium, where he took part in fund raising event. Winkler belongs to congregation.

Passing the S.A.L.T.

Missile sub counted out

Colonist-Los Angeles Times Service

WASHINGTON — On the ice-bound Amur River in the Soviet Far East floats the Kremlin's newest missile submarine — which the United States does not yet count as a missile submarine. If it did, it would have to accuse the Soviets of violating the strategic arms agreement.

The Delta-class nuclear-powered vessel, built at Komsomolsk-na-Amur, a closed city 350 miles up the river from the Sea of Okhotsk, is the Soviet's 63rd ballistic missile submarine. Under the agreement, they are allowed only 62 "operational" subs of this kind.

With this vessel, the Soviets are also bumping the ceiling on submarine-launched ballistic missiles. They are allowed 950 under the five-year agreement signed in 1972. The 16 missiles which this newest Delta-3 sub will carry would take them over that limit, too.

The Soviet-American agreement expired Oct. 3, but both sides said they would abide by its provisions while negotiating a new treaty. During this hiatus, however, the U.S., and presumably the Soviet Union as well is watching with special care for possible violations.

U.S. attention has been focused on this 63rd submarine, which is some 426 feet long and 35 feet wide, displaces 8,000 tons and draws about 33 feet of water. It went down the ways into the Amur as scheduled early this fall.

The formal interim agreement only put a limit on operational ballistic missile submarines, but an associated document, never published, covers "agreed procedures" for implementing the agreement.

It provides that submarines are counted operational as soon as they go out for "sea trials" in the ocean, according to U.S. officials. So, before this 63rd sub can put to sea, the strategic arms agreement requires that a Soviet submarine now in operation — presumably an older Yankee-class vessel with older missiles — be brought into port and dismantled.

No Soviet submarine has been scrapped so far, it is understood. And contrary to predictions last summer, the newest one is still up the river. So American officials say the Soviets are not in violation of the agreement.

The Amur has frozen over now and should stay that way until about April. "The problem won't be back with us until spring" said an American official.

Whether the Soviets had always planned to keep the new sub at Komsomolsk through the winter is unknown. Ice damage should be a real concern although, as one official said, the vessel could be moored "in a launch basin with lots of antifreeze around it."

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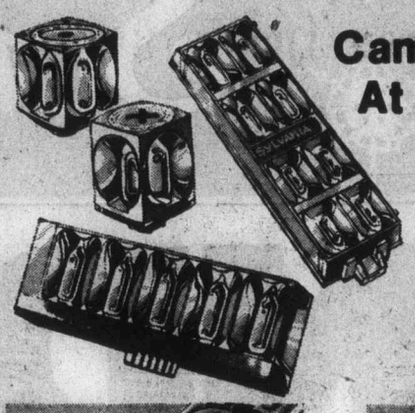

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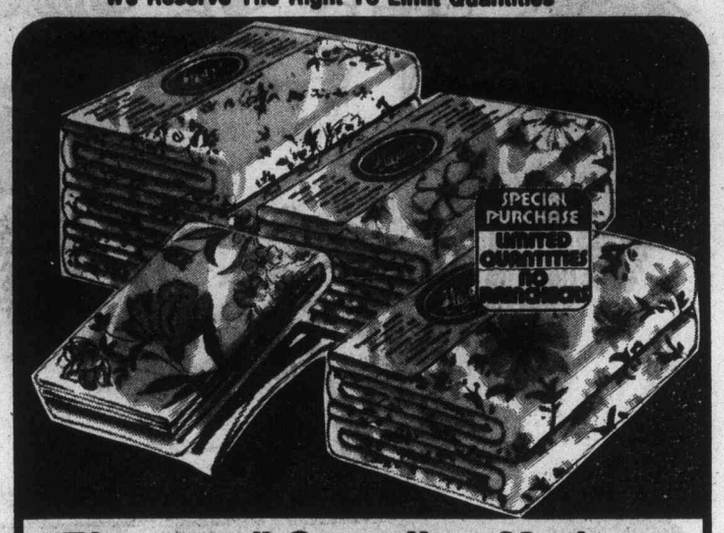

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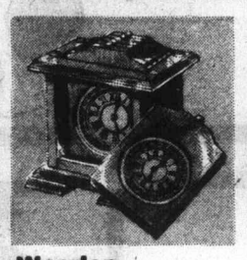

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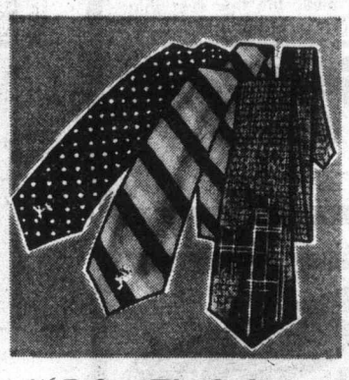

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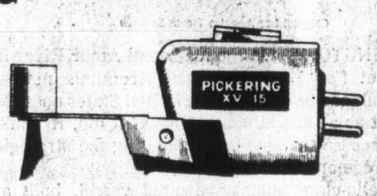

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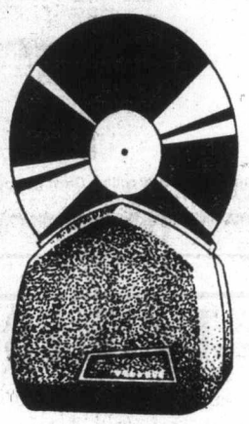

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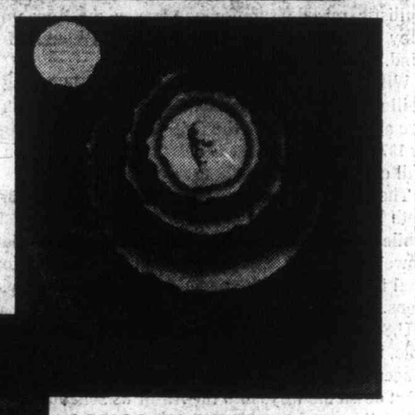

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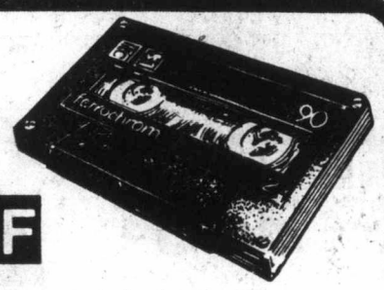

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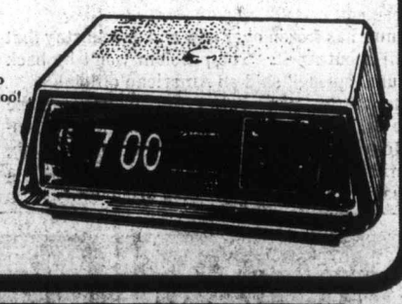

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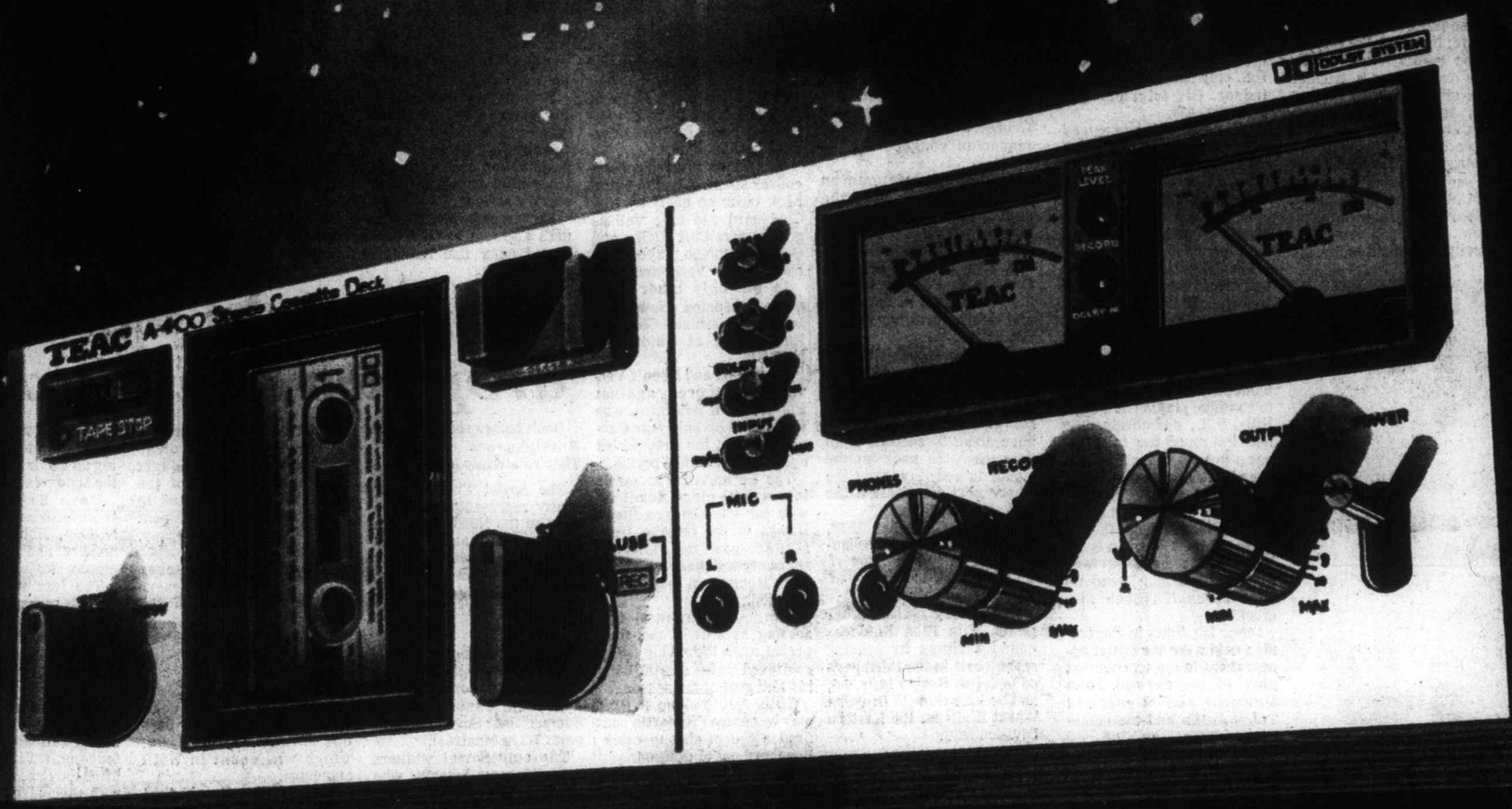

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Cougars continue to hand out gifts

By JIM TANG

Victoria Cougars aren't playing any favorites this Christmas season. Last week they handed Portland Winter Hawks two points at Memorial Arena, and Tuesday night they extended their largesse to Saskatoon Blades.

Blades, who went into the game with the fewest points of any team in the Western Canada Hockey League, started the third period at 3-5 and with less than 12 minutes remaining seemed destined to suffer their 14th loss in 15 road games.

But the Eastern Division trailers were quick to take advantage of some casual play by a team which has had a season-long tendency to get careless and scored three third-period goals, two of them only nine seconds apart, to skate off with a 6-5 decision.

It was the fourth straight defeat for the Islanders, and it kept them from gaining a third-place tie with Seattle Breakers. Blades, who are 10-7 on home ice, are still 10 points out of third place in the Eastern Division.

Cougars started and finished sloppily. Picking up a rash of early penalties, they were 0-2 before the first period was half over. Then they came back strongly and held a good edge from there until their third-period letdown.

Power-play goals by Geordie Robertson and Gary Lupul pulled them even, and they were 3-2 for the second period when a Saskatoon defenceman kicked the puck behind John McKerrow for a goal which was credited to Kim Spencer.

Brent Ashton, who leads the Saskatoon club with 28 goals, got a clean breakaway and cashed his rebound for the 3-3 goal at 5:36 of the second period, but the Cougars shook off that error and opened up a two-goal lead on scoring shots by Lupul and Mark Robinson, who came in on the right side to score the prettiest goal of the game.

There was no indication of what was to come when Wayne Merkel, who had opened the scoring, suddenly got a break from his own zone. Not only did it result from careless Cougar play but there was no real pursuit as Merkel went in and was able to pick up his rebound.

It was 5-5 before the announcement of the goal could be made, the Blades winning the faceoff, quickly getting the puck inside the Victoria zone and scoring through Wes George when a Victoria defenceman coughed up the puck.

The same defenceman missed the puck near the centre line eight minutes later to set up a two-on-one break, and this time George and Ken Federko reversed things with Federko scoring his second goal of the game and George drawing the assist.

The Cougars couldn't make it in a desperate last effort although they got a power-play chance with 99 seconds remaining and were kept alive about 30 seconds from time when the puck hit the piping on a shot taken at the empty goal from inside the Saskatoon blue line.

Blades were outshot, 52-30, but it was a misleading statistic. McKerrow did stop 47 shots but not too many of them were dangerous.

In Tuesday night's other game, Flin Flon Bombers ended a slump by scoring seven goals in the third period to defeat Regina Pats, 9-5, and break a tie with Brandon Wheat Kings for the Eastern Division lead.

SASKATOON 6, VICTORIA 5

First Period
1. Saskatoon, Merkel 1:36
2. Saskatoon, Federko 7:46
3. Victoria, Robertson 28 (Robinson) 13:53
4. Victoria, Lupul 7 (Robinson, Robertson) 16:09
5. Victoria, Spencer 5 16:22
Penalties—Cochrane(V)2:32, Robinson(V)5:30, Robertson(V)6:34, Heck(V), Bent (S) 7:16, Penske(V), McTaggart(S) majors 7:46, Darryl Erickson(S) 13:05, Pritz(V), Baron(S), George(S) 15:30, Cochrane(V)17:34.
Second Period
6. Saskatoon, Ashton (Carson, MacNaught) 5:36
7. Victoria, Lupul 8 (Geroux, Spencer) 9:31
8. Victoria, Robinson 3 (Robertson) 12:40
Penalties—Heck(V)triple minor, George(S) double minor 9:01, Cochrane(V)11:09, Carriere(S) 11:43, Cochrane, Johnson(S) 17:46, Spencer(V)18:49.
Third Period
9. Saskatoon, Merkel 8:36
10. Saskatoon, George (Federko) 8:47
11. Saskatoon, Federko (George) 16:44
Penalties—Lupul V 2:20, Johnson Se 18:21.
Shots on goal by

Saskatoon	15	8	7	—30
Victoria	22	15	15	—52

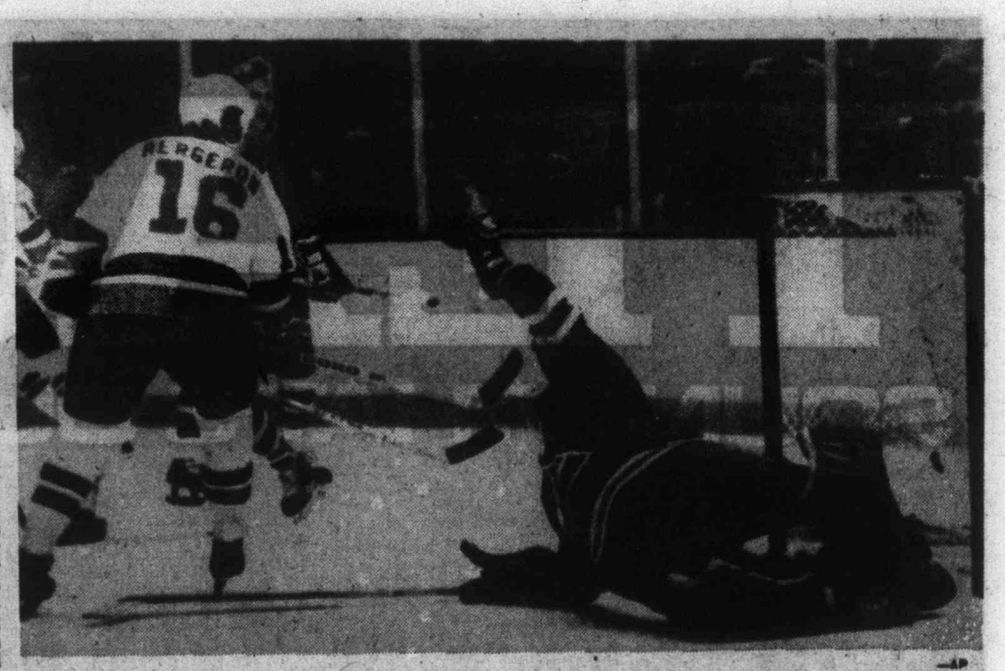
Goal—McKerrow, Saskatoon; Frost, Victoria.
Attendance—1,992

REGINA(5)—Gerry Galloway, Doug Wickenheiser, Ron Parent, Darrell Ell, Paul Hogan; FLIN FLON(9)—Mario Bottik 2, Craig Levie 2, Guy Bohmer 2, Mel Biluk, Glenn Hicks, Ray Markham. Attendance—978.

Eastern Division

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Flin Flon	41	19	16	6	208	203	44
Brandon	31	18	7	6	175	135	42
Regina	36	16	18	2	170	187	34
Saskatoon	32	11	21	0	167	184	22
Central Division							
Billings	35	20	12	3	178	158	43
Lethbridge	38	19	15	4	17x	156	42
Calgary	36	11	19	6	166	216	28
Medicine Hat	34	9	20	5	128	168	23
Western Division							
Portland	31	15	9	7	143	128	37
New West	35	14	16	5	162	155	33
Victoria	33	14	17	2	147	151	30
Seattle	26	13	9	4	123	104	30

Tonight's Game
Regina at Flin Flon



Islanders' Bergeron (16) scores first of two early goals against Doug Favell —AP

Only work of goalkeepers earns point for Canucks

Atlanta Flames outplayed Vancouver Canucks but had to settle for a 2-2 National Hockey League tie before 14,350 fans at the Pacific Coliseum Tuesday night.

The Flames outshot Vancouver 31-12 but had to battle back twice on goals by Guy Chouinard and Eric Vail as goalkeepers Curt Ridley and Cesare Maniago played brilliantly in the Vancouver net.

In the only other NHL game scheduled, New York Islanders slammed Colorado Rockies 9-1 at Uniondale, N.Y.

Jere Gillis and Dennis Ververgaert scored against Flames' Dan Bouchard, who was tested by only four Canuck shots in the first period and two in the third period.

The tie moved Vancouver into a first-place deadlock with the idle Chicago Black Hawks in the Smythe Division and gave the Flames a share of third place with New York Rangers in the Patrick Division.

Vancouver opened the scoring at 3:02 of the first period when the rookie Gillis continued his hot scoring with his 15th goal of the season.

Gillis followed up a fine play by centre Pit Martin and fired a 20-foot shot to catch Bouchard out of position.

The Flames tied the score on a power-play goal midway through the second period when Chouinard's slap shot evaded Maniago who replaced Ridley.

Ridley was carried from the ice on a stretcher after he was hit in the throat by a shot fired by Vail. He was taken to hospital for observation but team officials said the injury was not serious.

Ververgaert gave the Canucks a 2-1 lead at 11:33 of the period on a fine individual effort when he controlled the puck with his skates, fought off two Flames and fired a wrist shot that beat Bouchard.

Ververgaert's goal was the only bright spot in the period as most of the play took place in the Canuck end, as the Flames pressed for the equalizer which came early in the third period.

Vail tied it when he broke in from the left side, picked up Tom Lysiak's drop pass and blasted a 25-foot slap shot past Maniago

In Uniondale, Michel Bergeron scored a pair of goals 42 seconds apart in the first six minutes and assisted on a pair of goals by Billy Harris as the Islanders scored six times in the final period.

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ATLANTA 2, VANCOUVER 2

First Period
1. Vancouver, Gillis 15 (Martin, Blight) 3:02
Penalty—Gridsdale(V) 17:15.
Second Period
2. Atlanta, Chouinard 7 (Vail, MacMillan) 10:12
3. Vancouver, Ververgaert 6 (Walton, Kannegiesser) 11:35
Penalties—Gillies(V), Lysiak(A) 2:57, Gridsdale(V) 9:46.
Third Period
4. Atlanta, Vail 6 (Lysiak) 6:08
Penalties—None.
Shots on goal by

Atlanta	h	7	11	13—31
Vancouver	h	4	6	2—12

Goal—Bouchard, Atlanta; Maniago, Ridley, Vancouver.
Attendance—14,350.

NY ISLANDERS 9, COLORADO 1

First Period
1. NY Islanders, Bergeron 7 (Harris, D. Potvin) 4:21
2. NY Islanders, Bergeron 8 (Parise, Harris) 5:03
Penalties—Suzor(C) 2:19, Kaszycki(NY) 10:53, Croteau (C) 11:15, Hart(NY) 15:25.
Second Period
3. Colorado, Spruce 7 (Beck, Van Boxmeer) 3:39
4. NY Islanders, Kaszycki 2 (D. Potvin, Persson) 18:27
Penalties—Hart(NY) 2:44, Hudson(C) 4:24, Arnason(C) 16:49.
Third Period
5. NY Islanders, Bourne 10 (Nystrom, Westfall) 0:37
6. NY Islanders, Harris 8 (Bergeron, Hart) 3:21
7. NY Islanders, Gillies 13 (Trottier, Drouin) 7:50
8. NY Islanders, Trottier 22 (Drouin) 13:24
9. NY Islanders, Nystrom 12 (Kaszycki) 16:43
10. NY Islanders, Harris 9 (Bergeron, Bourne) 19:12
Penalties—Harris(NY) 3:48, Trottier(NY) 8:05.
Shots on goal by

Colorado	h	13	14	6—33
NY Islanders	h	7	15	13—35

Goal—Favell, Colorado; Resch, NY Islanders.
Attendance—14,102.

Norris Division

	G	W	L	T	F	A	P
Montreal	31	20	7	4	118	81	44
Los Angeles	30	14	11	5	89	90	33
Detroit	29	10	15	4	85	95	24
Pittsburgh	30	9	15	6	96	127	24
Washington	30	5	20	5	63	116	15
Adams Division							
Buffalo	31	20	7	4	115	81	44
Boston	31	19	7	5	109	78	43
Toronto	29	19	6	4	110	76	42
Cleveland	31	10	18	3	79	116	23
Patrick Division							
Philadelphia	30	21	5	4	134	65	46
NY Islanders	32	17	7	8	128	72	42
NY Rangers	32	11	15	6	109	113	28
Atlanta	32	9	13	10	86	104	28
Smythe Division							
Vancouver	31	10	13	8	90	111	28
Chicago	32	9	13	10	79	90	28
Colorado	27	8	13	6	96	97	22
Minnesota	31	7	20	4	87	137	18
St. Louis	31	7	20	4	73	127	18

Tonight's Games
Washington at NY Rangers
Philadelphia at Cleveland
Montreal at Toronto
Buffalo at Detroit
Minnesota at Los Angeles
Chicago at St. Louis
Colorado at Boston

Tennis highlights of year

Chris still No. 1

By FRED ROTHENBERG
The Associated Press

Tennis, the fastest growing sport in North America with some 32 million participants, spent the 1977 season fascinated with several firsts and the annual question of "Who's No. 1."

In women's tennis, the annual question received its annual answer—Chris Evert of the United States, the stroking precisionist who earned more than $500,000 while winning nearly every major tournament she entered, including the U.S. Open and the Virginia Slims championship.

The lone exception was Virginia Wade's dramatic Wimbledon triumph before an adoring English home crowd, including the Queen.

The men's tennis throne was claimed by a triumvirate of Bjorn Borg of Sweden, American Jimmy Connors and Guillermo Vilas of Argentina.

Borg won Wimbledon for the second straight year and the U.S. Tennis Association's indoor title in Memphis, Tenn., but his tournament activity was limited by his contract with Cleveland of World Team Tennis.

Connors won the World Championship of Tennis crown in Dallas, several big-money, head-to-head matches and was runnerup in the U.S. Open, Wimbledon, U.S. clay court and U.S. Pro Indoor. His total earnings were $822,656.

Vilas assembled an extended clay-court winning streak, claiming the French and U.S. Open titles along the way. Vilas has already earned over $440,000 and is assured of at least $300,000 in Grand Prix money in January.

The biggest first was the ballyhooed appearance at the U.S. Open of Renee Richards, the transsexual who won through the courts the right to play against women in North America's top tournament. But, alas, her right to continue playing at Forest Hills, N.Y., was abridged by her first-round loss to Wade, not unexpected since Richards is 42 years old.

Speaking of firsts, the 1977 U.S. Open was the last at the famed concrete horseshoe in Forest Hills. The Open is set to move to hard-surface courts at Flushing Meadows near baseball's Shea Stadium.

Other big firsts in the tennis world were the initial appearances in top tournament play of 18-year-old John McEnroe and 14-year-old Tracy Austin and the comeback of Billie Jean King.

McEnroe, a New York native with a fiery temperament, gained the semi-finals at Wimbledon before losing to Connors in four sets; Austin reached the quarter-finals at Forest Hills before succumbing to Betty Stove of the Netherlands, and King, returning to tournament singles after a knee injury, made several finals, but never could beat Evert.

The year's other major tournament winners were: Florenta Mihai in the French Open; Vitas Gerulaitis and Janet Newberry in the Italian Open; Dick Stockton in the U.S. Pro Indoor, and Manuel Orantes in the USTA Clay Court.

Australia, in the tennis dumps in the 70s, brought the Davis Cup back Down Under with a victory over Italy and the New York Apples won the WTT title.

Chris Evert-a study in concentration

Soviet clubs win one, drop two exhibitions

Don't bother shouting "The Russians are coming." They're already here.

The Soviet Union is currently represented in triplicate on the North American hockey scene and Tuesday night, teams from the land of the Great Bear managed only a .333 percentage in combat with their professional and amateur hosts.

Winnipeg Jets of the World Hockey Association outskated a Soviet national team 6-4 and Team Canada Juniors dumped their Soviet counterparts 7-3 in Montreal.

The only Soviet winners were Moscow Selects, who handled Nova Scotia Voyageurs of the American Hockey League 6-3 in Saint John.

The Soviet-featured games, though, represented just a fraction of the action, as the international scene buzzed.

Also on the professional level, the Czechoslovakian "B" national team fought Cincinnati Stingers of the WHA to a 5-5 tie. And in preparation for the imminent World Cup of Junior Hockey, the Czechs downed Quebec Remparts of the Quebec Major Junior Hockey League 6-4; Finland hammered Chicoutimi Saguenéens of the QMJHL 12-6 and Hull Olympiques slapped the West German Juniors 6-0.

In Winnipeg, the Jets scored five consecutive goals in the first and second periods enroute to their win, which will count in WHA standings.

The Soviets struck first midway through the first period but the Jets scored a pair before the period ended and ran the count to 5-1 before the visitors scored again late in the second period.

Winnipeg made it 6-2 early in the third period before giving up a pair of goals to make the score close.

Dave Kryskow scored twice for Winnipeg, with Kent Nillson, Bobby Hull, Lars Sjoberg and Peter Sullivan getting single goals.

The loss was the Soviet Union's second in four games against WHA clubs and came before a less than capacity crowd of 9,111 fans.

The touring team gets another chance tonight in Edmonton against the Oilers.

Third-period goals by centre Jaroslav Mec and defenceman Vitezslav Duris lifted the Czechs into their tie with Cincinnati. A 10-minute overtime period was scoreless.

Cincinnati had taken a 5-3 lead when Ron Plumb and Rich Leduc scored 45 seconds apart near the end of the second period but Mec and Duris scored late in the third period to knot the score.

In an all-WHA game, Morris Lukowich and John Gray scored twice each, leading Houston Aeros to a 6-4 victory over Edmonton.

Tony McKegney of Kingston Canadians of the Ontario Hockey Association scored three goals and assisted on two others as the Canadian Juniors dumped the Soviets.

Canada's win was its third in three starts as teams warm up for the international junior championships which open Thursday.

The final, 21-man Canadian roster was to be announced today.

Players from the Western Canada Hockey League didn't figure in the scoring, although Wayne Babych of Portland Winter Hawks and Brad McCrimmon of Brandon Wheat Kings each had an assist.

Patrick Daley, from Laval Nationals of the QMJHL, scored two goals for Canada and Rick Valve of Sherbrooke Beavers of the QMJHL and Wayne Gretsky of Sault Ste. Marie Greyhounds picked up one goal each.

CZECHOSLOVAKIA(5)—Frantisek Cernick 2, Jaroslav Mec, Vitezslav Duris, Klabouh; CINCINNATI(5)—Richie Leduc(21st), Ron Plumb(3rd), Craig Norwich(2nd), Peter Marsh(3rd), Jamie Hislop.

SOVIET UNION(4)—Anatoli Emelianenko, Igor Romashin, Alexander Volchov, Nikolai Makarov; WINNIPEG(6)—Dave Kryskow(6th and 9th), Kent Nillson(10th), Bobby Hull(24th), Lars Sjoberg(6th), Peter Sullivan(8th). Attendance—9,111.

EDMONTON(4)—Dave Semenko(1st), Jude Widing(4th), Al Hamilton(7th), Norm Ferguson(12th); HOUSTON(4)—Morris Lukowich(17th and 18th), John Gray(9th and 10th), John Tonelli(5th), John Hughes(1st). Attendance—6,091.

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
New England	31	20	8	3	127	98	43
Winnipeg	31	18	12	1	141	97	37
Quebec	27	16	10	1	126	109	33
Houston	28	13	13	2	103	110	28
Edmonton	29	13	15	1	106	113	27
Birmingham	28	11	15	2	93	103	24
Cincinnati	29	11	17	1	98	116	23
Indianapolis	30	9	17	4	94	123	22

TONIGHT' GAMES
Winnipeg at Houston.
Czechoslovakia at Birmingham.
Soviet Union at Edmonton.

Nina, Wendy drop openers

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. (Reuter) — Nicole Marois of Quebec City, the Canadian under-18 girls' champion beat Teri Starr of the United States, 6-2, 6-3, Tuesday in a first-round match at the Orange Bowl world junior tennis tournament.

Four other Canadians to see action Tuesday were less fortunate, however. A pair of Victoria girls, Nina Bland and Wendy Barlow, were beaten in first-round play, as was Sue Black of Mississauga, Ont.

Mike Puc of London, Ont., who had won an opening-round match over Oliva Rene Strang of Brazil, fell 3-6, 7-5, 6-3, Tuesday to Guillermo Stevens of Mexico.

Jennifer Balent of the U.S. downed Miss Bland, 7-5, 6-3, Miss Barlow was trounced 6-0, 6-1 by No. 2 seed Anne Smith of the U.S., and Miss Black lost 6-0, 6-3 to Petra Van Oyen of West Germany.

Yannick Noah of France and Czechoslovakia's Hana Strachonova, the top seeds in the competition which features entries from 50 countries, both posted victories Tuesday.

Noah whipped Peru's Luciano Cuneo, 6-1, 6-0, in second-round boys play, while Strachonova had a tough time against American Sandy Fleischman, 6-1, 4-6, 6-3, in a first-round women's match.

The only upset in the day's play came when fourth-seeded Andy Kohlberg of the U.S., was forced to retire with an injured back after losing the first set, 6-1, to Sweden's Stefan Simonsson.

Braves pop goals in groups of five

Saanich Braves can't seem to lose and now they're finding new challenges in the South Island Junior "B" Hockey League.

During Tuesday night's game against Lake Cowichan Baird's Trucking, the first-place Braves, now 21-1-0, delivered their goals in neat packages of five, one gift-wrapped set in each period.

Saanich blasted Lake Cowichan 15-2, before 133 fans at Pearkes Arena.

Scott Connors was chief architect of the slaughter, scoring four goals, while two goals each came from Murray McLaren, Bill Adkin, Bruce Tuck and Wayne Larson. John Brown, Larry Wright and Tracy Patterson scored one each.

For the sixth-place Bairds, Glen Smith and Dale DeBodt replied.

Bruce Morrow was peppered with 66 shots in Lake Cowichan's goal, while Geoff Murdoch and Mike Duch breezed, handling 19 shots between them.

NHL Services audit discloses lavishness

TORONTO (CP) — The Globe and Mail says an internal audit by the National Hockey League has disclosed that the league has been paying for the use of two automobiles and a New York apartment by the president of National Hockey League Services.

In a copyright story, the newspaper also says NHLS president Don Ruck and his staff members have been allowed to take female companions along on business trips, travelling first class.

As a result, much stronger controls of NHLS are urged by a committee that conducted the audit and ended up questioning various business practices employed by the organization, the Globe and Mail adds.

A New York-based corporation, NHLS is exclusively controlled by the NHL and is responsible for licencing, broadcasting and public relations functions in the league.

The newspaper quotes an unidentified league governor as saying: "The majority of us are appalled by those expenditures. In effect, it's money out of our pockets. We have not been kept abreast of the inner workings of Services and would never have gone for such lavishness, if we knew what was going on."

Many NHLS procedures were carried out without the knowledge of the majority of NHL clubs—the shareholders in the corporation—and the report has sparked a deeper investigative audit of NHLS operations.

NHL president John Ziegler, a member of the NHLS board, is quoted as saying: "Whenever a company is put under such scrutiny, you are going to find some negatives."

Ziegler adds that some "reorganizational steps" will be considered next month when the board of governors gathers in Buffalo.

Sport today

HOCKEY

8:30 p.m.—South Island Junior "B" League: Fuller Lake Flyers vs. Victoria Ray's Red Wings, Fuller Lake Arena.

9 p.m.—South Island Big Six League: Juan de Fuca Merchants vs. Victoria Athletics, Juan de Fuca Arena.

Maple Leafs drub Bucks

First-place Esquimalt Maple Leafs drubbed Western Homes Buckaroos 17-1 Tuesday night in a South Island Big Six Hockey League game at Esquimalt Sports Centre.

Kerry Brewster led the attack with four goals and Gerry Blanchette, Dale Cook, Bob Barton, Gerry Caldwell and Randy Krantz had two apiece. Rugs Pritchard had one and Dave Pettinger replied for the Bucs.

According to the Solunar Tables calculated for this area, the best times for hunting and fishing for the next 10 days will be as follows. (Times shown are Pacific Standard):

Minor	Major	Minor	Major
A.M.		P.M.	
TODAY			
—	6:25	12:25	6:50
TOMORROW			
2:00	8:30	2:30	8:55

Minor periods, shorter duration, light type.
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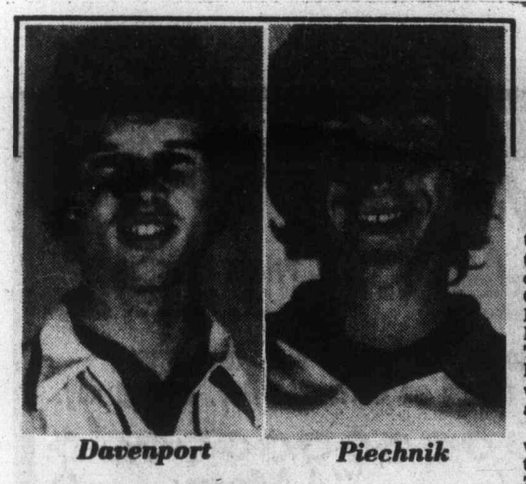

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Candidates sifted

Victoria girls on B.C. team

Forget the visions of sugarplums on everybody else's mind this time of year. Al Scott, Kent Andrews and Vic Lindal of Victoria are still thinking volleyball, even though the Victoria high school league has long since shut down for the year.

The three have just returned from a boys' and girls' training camp in Kelowna, intended to sift through candidates for B.C. provincial teams at the junior level.

Scott, coach of the B.C. boys' team, Andrews, girls' team mentor, and Lindal, the province's technical director for the sport, joined 15 other coaches in camp, putting high-school age athletes from around the province through some hectic paces.

For two Victoria girls, Louise Harrison of University of Victoria and Kelly Speak from the YMCA team, the three-day grind paid off. Each was named to the B.C. side to compete in the ANVIL National Junior championships in Los Angeles Dec.27-31.

Other team members are Rose Solecki of Langley, Karoline Kootnekoff and Loretta Zavarise of Burnaby, Laurie Boates and Elyn Underhill of Nelson, Rhonda Sampson of Prince George and Colleen Hoops of Gibsons.

Andrews, also coach of UVic Vikettes, says his team, though fairly young, should do all right in California.

Last year, B.C.'s first year in the tournament, the girls finished fourth.

B.C. is the only entry from outside the U.S.

Final selection of the boys' team will take a little longer. The first scheduled appearance will be in August, when the boys go to the international Pacific Rim tournament in Hilo, Hawaii. The ultimate destination is the 1979 Canada Games.

Eight Island boys were among 32 at the camp, run by Scott, who also coaches UVic Vikings and the Dockers of Esquimalt High School.

"We really worked the kids," Scott said Tuesday. "We started Friday with a battery of tests measuring physical improvement and development. Then Saturday, the kids went through three 3½-hour training sessions and wound up Sunday with one four-hour session, finishing about noon.

"We worked on individual skills and team play, dividing the emphasis about equally."

Scott and his coaches then categorized players into Gold, Blue and Red divisions, according to development and potential.

Gold-level athletes were the cream, the top candidates for the provincial team. Blue players are considered to have "outstanding potential" and will be invited to the next camp," slated for the high schools' spring break.

Players deemed Red will have to wait.

"They're welcome to any help we can give them and can continue to work with our training techniques. But they won't be asked to our next camp."

Island boys to make the Blues included Don Davenport of Belmont, Mike Piechnik of Spectrum and Ken Graham of Qualicum Beach.

Victoria fans will note the absence of a least one big(six-foot-three, to be exact)local name. Dave Shokar of Spectrum, who Scott says has "truly outstanding potential", was injured and unable to make camp.

"We definitely hope Dave will be back in time for our next camp," says Scott.

Scott

Waples posts first

WINDSOR, Ont. (CP) — Ron Waples became the first driver in Canadian harness racing to win $1,000,000 in purses exclusively on Canadian tracks during a single year when he won the $1,300 fourth race Tuesday night at Windsor Raceway.

Waples, 33-year-old native of Rockwood, Ont., guided D G Volo to the winner's circle in 2:08 1-5 to end a three-week assault at the mark during which he commuted daily between Greenwood in Toronto, Flamboro Downs near Hamilton and Windsor.

"It's a relief to have it over," said Waples, who was $375 short of the mark before stepping into the sulky Tuesday night. "I'm happy to have been fortunate enough to set the record, but it would be a great honor no matter who set it."

Waples went on to register two more victories and collected cheques in two other races to bring his night's total to $4,761 and the 1977 total to $1,004,296. The driving triple increased his output this year to 291 wins.

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Czech clubs will come but ticket sales slow

MONTREAL (CP) — Less than a week after they threatened not to play part of an eight-game series, the Czechoslovak Ice Hockey Federation confirmed to the National Hockey League Tuesday that two teams—Kladno and Pardubice—would play four games each against NHL competition.

The CIHF's confirmation was contained in a telegram to NHL president John Ziegler just a few days after Ziegler had sent a stiffly-worded message to Maroslav Subrt of the CIHF warning him that the series would be cancelled unless the Czechoslovkian representative agreed to play all eight games.

In a telegram to the NHL last Wednesday, the CIHF said it would not participate in scheduled games pitting Pardubice against Philadelphia Flyers on Dec. 26 and Kladno against Detroit Red Wings on Jan. 2 because both teams had former Czech stars on their rosters.

The Flyers recently signed defenceman Rudolf Tajcnar and assigned him to Maine Mariners of the American Hockey League and the Red Wings acquired left winger Vaclav Nedomansky from Birmingham Bulls of the World Hockey Association last month. Nedomansky had been in the WHA since 1974, just after he defected from Czechsolovakia.

There were reports that the Red Wings had threatened not to play their game if Nedomansky was not in their lineup.

"We were aware of the Red Wings feeling," said Brian O'Neill, the NHL's executive-vice president. "But that was not the reason for the action we took."

Ziegler told the CIHF that there was no way he would allow any outside body to dictate to the NHL member clubs which players they could use. The NHL originally gave the Czechs until noon Monday to declare their intentions and then, at the request of the CIHF, extended the deadline 24 hours.

The CIHF was first to confirm its participation Tuesday morning in the series which gets under way next Monday night with Philadelphia playing host to Pardubice and Kladno visiting New York Rangers. The NHL followed several hours later with its statement.

"We are pleased to be able to confirm the series," Ziegler said. "We already have sellouts in Toronto and only a few tickets left in Philadelphia."

But Ziegler did not say that some other rinks are having trouble convincing their fans to support the attraction.

A spokesman for Minnesota North Stars said only 5,000 people are expected to show for the Minnesota-Pardubice clash on Dec. 28.

"Our own team is not going very well and that has a bearing on it," said Dick Dillman, director of public relations for the club. "I think the number of touring teams confuses the public.

"You have a Czech team and two Russian teams playing WHA teams and two Czech teams and a team from the Soviet Union playing against the NHL.

"And international hockey is not a novelty here either. We've had the Czechs, Russians, Finns and Swedes here for tournaments."

Ticket sales for the Rangers opener were also reported slow and a spokesman for Cleveland Barons said "it's hard to say how they are going here."

"It has been kind of slow getting information," he noted. "But we have several groups here that are interested."

The Barons spokesman said several Czechoslovak group are helping organize a gathering in honor of the Czechoslovak team Jan. 3.

Following their games against Philadelphia and Minnesota, Pardubice plays in Toronto against the Maple Leafs on Jan. 2 before closing out the tour in Uniondale, N.Y. against New York Islanders two nights later.

Kladno meets the Rangers next Monday and Chicago Black Hawks. After the Detroit game on Jan. 2, Kladno visits Cleveland.

Spartak of the Soviet Union has a five-game set starting Dec. 28 against Vancouver Canucks. A Canucks spokesman said Tuesday ticket sales for that game have gone slowly thus far.

Spartak is set to meet Colorado Rockies on Jan. 3 and St. Louis Blues two nights later. Of prime interest will be the Spartak-Montreal Canadiens contest set for Jan. 6 and Soviet team closes out its tour in Atlanta against the Flames two nights later.

Familiar names on Czech roster

MONTREAL (CP) — Some members of the team which represented Czechoslovakia in the 1976 Canada Cup are listed on the roster of Kladno, one of two teams which will play an exhibition series against National Hockey League clubs later this month.

Centre Milan Novy, right winger Marian Stastny, centre Peter Stastny and defenceman Frantisek Pospisil are among national team stars who will be in the Kladno lineup.

Pardubice, the other Czech team involved in the North American tour, features defencemen Milan Kajkl and Jiri Bubla and centre Ivan Hlinka who played with the Czechoslovkian nationals.

Following are the rosters for the two Czech teams:

Kladno—**Goal**—Milan Kolisek, Miroslav Krase. **Defence**—Lubos Bauer, Bohuslav Cermak, Miroslav Dvorak, Frantisek Kaberle, Jan Neliba, Frantisek Pospisil, Ota Vejvoda, Jaroslav Vins. **Forwards**—Bohuslav Ebermann, Miroslav Krivacek, Zdenek Mueller, Zdenek Nedved, Jan Novotny, Eduard Novak, Milan Novy, Jaroslav Pouzar, Arnost Reckziegel, Milan Skrbek, Peter Stastny, Marian Stastny, Vaclav Sykora. **Coach**—Bohuslav Prosek.

Pardubice—**Goal**—Jiri Chra, Jiri Kralik. **Defence**—Vladimir Bezdicek, Jiri Bubla, Milan Chariuba, Milan Kajkl, Milan Klement, Jan Levinsky, Zemek Moucka, Parvel Nestek, Parvel Novotny, Horymir Sekera. **Forwards**—Josef Auousta, Pavel Beranek, Frantisek Bulis, Frantisek Cernik, Ladislav Dinis, Vilbor Havlicek, Ivan Hlinka, Milan Kadousek, Richard Kalhous, Vladimir Martinec, Jiri Novak, Frantisek Pecival, Josef Slavik, Bohuslav Stastny. **Coaches**—Otakar Mares, Horymir Sekera.

TV plans altered

TORONTO (CP) — CBC, which is carrying five National Hockey League games involving visiting clubs from the Soviet Union and Czechoslovakia, announced Tuesday a change in its television coverage.

The original schedule called for CBC coverage of a game involving New York Islander and the Pardubice club of Czechoslovakia on Wednesday, Jan. 4. That game has been scrapped in favor of a game the following night when St. Louis Blues will be host to Spartak of the Soviet Union.

The rest of the original television schedule stands with Pardubice at Philadelphia Flyers on Monday, Dec. 26; Spartak at Vancouver Canucks, Wednesday, Dec. 28; Pardubice at Toronto Maple Leafs, Monday, Jan. 2, and Spartak at Montreal Canadiens, Friday, Jan. 6.

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Senior NHL officials will handle series

TORONTO (CP) — The eight senior referees in National Hockey League will each work at least one game in the 13-game exhibition series involving NHL teams and two teams from Czechoslovakia and one from the Soviet Union.

Scotty Morrison, the NHL's referee-in-chief, said Tuesday that Bruce Hood, Dave Newell and Bob Myers will each have two games in the series while Ron Wicks, Wally Harris, Bryan Lewis, John McCauley and Andy van Hellemond will each get one assignment.

The Czechoslovak Ice Hockey Federation agreed to have the eight games involving Kladno and Pardubice handled by NHL referees and linesmen.

Viktor Sorokin of the Soviet Union will referee two of the five games involving Spartak of the Soviet Union and will be the linesman in the other three.

Hood, Newell and Myers are getting an extra game in the international series because the assignments fitted in with the regular league assignments.

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Green ready to come back

OTTAWA (CP) — Art Green, who led the eastern conference of the Canadian Football League in rushing in 1975 and 1976, is interested in returning to Ottawa Rough Riders, head coach George Brancato said Tuesday.

"I talked to him on the phone and he says he wants to come back," Brancato said.

Green played out his option in 1976 and was unsuccessful in his attempts to latch on with Philadelphia Eagles and Buffalo Bills of the National Football League this year.

Green, a graduate of Albany State College, joined Riders in 1974 after a brief stint with the Jersey Jays of the now-defunct Continental Football League.

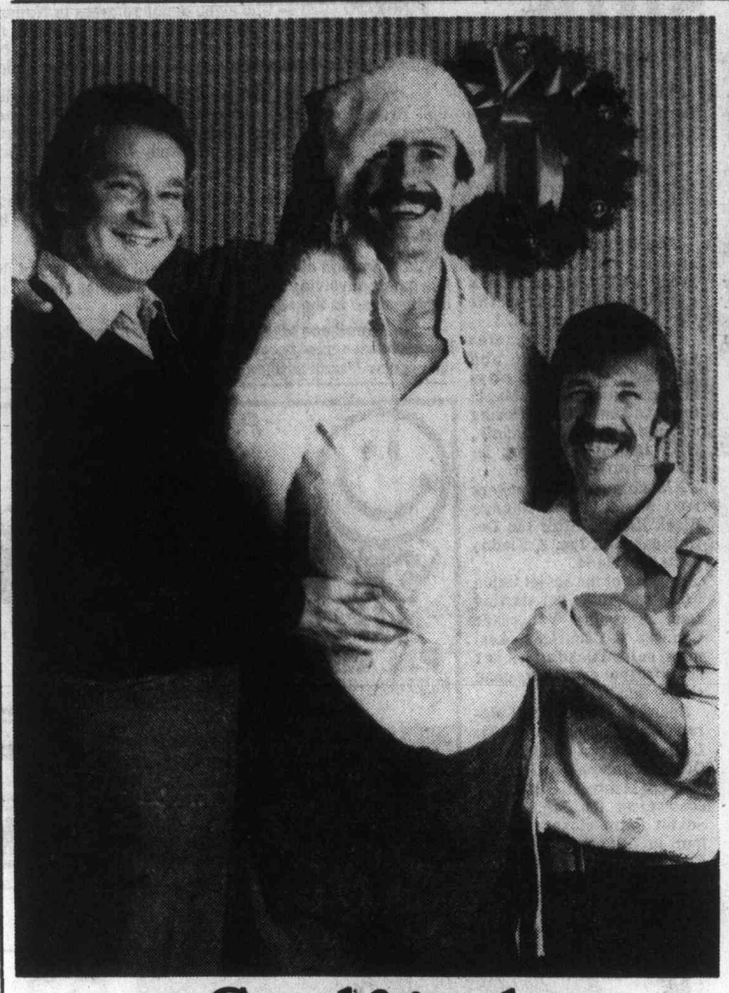
Green proved to be as adept a pass catcher as he was a running back. In 1975 he caught 47 passes for 537 yards and three touchdowns while rushing for 1,188 yards and 11 touchdowns.

In 1976, Green caught 53 passes for 508 yards and two touchdowns while rushing for 1,257 yards and 13 majors.

Although Green's replacement, Richard Holmes, rushed for more than 1,000 yards this year, Brancato has said that Green and Holmes competing for the running back job "is as good a competition as you'll get for a spot."

Brancato said he will meet Green Jan. 7 at the Senior Bowl in Mobile, Ala.

Brancato recently returned from a five-day trip in which scouts were lined up to monitor NFL training camps next spring and advise Ottawa of the football talent available.



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Liverpool advances with shutout victory

LONDON (Reuter) — Liverpool reached the quarter-finals of the English League Cup soccer tournament for only the third time when they beat Coventry 2-0 in a fourth round replay Tuesday night.

The European champions, who have never won the League Cup, earned an away fifth-round tie against Third Division Wrexham through goals early and late in the game.

In the fifth minute, Jimmy Case scored with a first-time drive after a fine move begun by Ray Kennedy and involving Kenny Dalglish.

But a skilful Coventry side then stretched the visiting team to the limit, missing two scoring chances, before Liverpool gained the security of a second goal in the 79th minute. Emlyn Hughes put Steve Heighway in the clear and from his square pass Dalglish made no mistake.

In second-round replays of English FA Cup games, Peterborough blanked Gillingham 2-0 and will meet Newcastle, while Swansea earned a date with Walsall by edging Portsmouth 2-1.

Soccer tables

ENGLISH LEAGUE

Division I

	W	T	L	F	A	P
Notts F	14	3	3	38	12	31
Everton	11	7	2	42	18	29
Liverpool	10	5	5	26	15	25
West Brom	9	7	4	31	22	25
Arsenal	10	5	5	25	16	25
Leeds	8	8	4	32	25	24
Norwich	8	8	4	22	23	24
Coventry	9	5	6	33	31	23
Man City	9	4	7	36	24	22
Ipswich	7	7	6	21	22	21
Aston Villa	8	4	7	23	20	20
Derby	7	6	7	26	28	20
Middlesbrough	6	6	8	19	28	18
Man United	7	3	9	25	30	17
Chelsea	5	7	8	15	22	17
Bristol	5	6	8	23	24	16
Wolverhampton	5	6	9	23	31	16
Birmingham	6	4	10	21	31	16
Queen's PR	3	7	10	21	33	13
Newcastle	5	2	10	25	34	12
West Ham	3	6	11	21	33	12
Leicester	2	6	12	8	34	10

Division II

Bolton	13	4	3	34	20	30
Tottenham	11	6	3	39	17	28
Brighton	10	6	4	30	20	26
Blackburn	10	6	4	29	21	26
Southampton	10	5	5	27	19	25
Blackpool	9	5	6	30	44	23
Charlton	9	5	5	35	30	23
Crystal P	7	7	6	29	24	21
Sheffield	8	5	7	31	31	21
Luton	8	4	8	29	23	20
Fulham	7	5	8	30	24	19
Stoke	7	5	8	21	24	19
Sunderland	5	8	7	33	33	18
Hull	5	8	7	19	19	18
Orient	5	8	7	23	25	18
Oldham	5	8	7	23	27	18
Notts C	5	7	8	26	32	17
Bristol R	4	7	9	25	40	15
Millwall	2	10	8	17	26	14
Cardiff	4	6	9	19	40	14
Mansfield	4	5	11	25	36	13
Burnley	4	4	12	16	35	12

Division III

Wrexham	11	6	3	34	21	28
Gillingham	10	7	4	37	27	27
Tranmere	10	5	6	33	20	25
Peterborough	9	7	4	17	14	25
Cambridge	10	4	6	36	26	24
Colchester	9	5	6	30	19	23
Preston	7	9	4	22	19	23
Shrewsbury	8	6	7	35	30	22
Bury	7	8	5	23	24	22
Swindon	7	6	7	32	27	20
Rotherham	6	8	6	28	29	20
Walsall	6	8	6	24	25	20
Chester	5	10	5	22	27	20
Exeter	8	3	9	25	26	19
Oxford	7	5	9	29	31	19
Aarlisle	5	8	7	26	27	18
Chesterfield	7	4	9	19	22	18
Plymouth	5	7	8	23	26	17
Bradford	5	7	8	23	28	17
Hereford	5	7	8	16	24	17
Port Vale	3	11	6	21	30	17
Lincoln	5	5	10	20	30	15
Portsmouth	3	9	8	21	35	15
Sheffield W	3	7	10	17	26	13

Division IV

Watford	14	2	4	39	20	30
Southend	11	5	4	25	14	27
Aldershot	10	6	4	29	15	26
Brentford	10	5	5	35	25	25
Barnsley	9	6	5	27	17	24
Newport	9	6	5	34	28	24
Torquay	7	8	5	24	22	22
Reading	10	2	8	25	24	22
Stockport	7	7	6	32	22	21
Swansea	8	5	7	29	21	21
Bournemouth	8	5	7	19	19	21
Doncaster	9	3	8	26	27	21
Grimsby	9	3	8	23	25	21
Northampton	8	5	8	32	36	21
Huddersfield	5	9	6	23	21	19
Darlington	6	7	8	24	30	19
Crewe	8	3	9	23	28	17
Halifax	5	7	9	23	28	17
Scunthorpe	6	5	9	22	28	17
Wimbledon	4	9	8	26	37	17
York	5	6	9	23	25	16
Southport	1	11	8	26	35	13
Hartlepool	5	3	12	24	40	13
Rochdale	3	4	15	20	40	10

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

Premier Division

Rangers	12	3	2	42	19	27
Aberdeen	9	4	5	29	19	22
Patrick	9	3	5	25	25	21
Dundee U	7	5	5	21	13	19
Celtic	7	3	6	27	23	17
St. Mirren	6	4	7	27	28	16
Hibernian	6	2	9	15	18	14
Mothrwll	5	4	9	22	27	14
Ayr	5	3	9	17	30	13
Clydebank	2	3	11	10	33	7

Division I

Dundee	13	3	5	42	24	29
Morton	12	4	3	39	22	28
Dumbartn	8	9	4	37	26	25
Hearts	10	5	5	39	31	25
Hamilton	9	4	7	40	32	22
Stirling	9	4	7	29	28	22
Kilmarn'k	7	7	7	28	26	21
Queen of S	7	6	7	28	31	20
Arbroath	6	8	7	28	33	20
St. Jhnstn	7	4	9	25	32	18
Montrose	5	6	10	29	35	16
Airdron's	6	4	10	24	33	16
Alloa	4	5	12	27	45	13
Fife	3	5	13	28	45	11

Division II

Berwick	9	8	2	36	19	26
Albion	11	3	6	40	29	25
Raith	8	9	2	27	18	25
Falkirk	9	6	3	26	18	24
Clyde	8	7	3	26	16	23
Forfar	11	1	8	34	28	23
Stranraer	9	3	8	35	31	21
Dunfirml'	8	5	6	26	22	21
Queen's P	6	7	8	26	36	19
Cowdnb'th	6	4	10	36	45	16
E. Stirling	6	3	11	25	36	16
Stenhsmr	3	7	9	23	37	13
Meadowbk	3	6	11	21	35	12
Brechin	2	3	13	22	33	9

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Levy named coach of NFL Chiefs

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — Marv Levy, fresh from leading Montreal Alouettes to the 1977 Canadian Football League championship, signed a five-year contract Tuesday as head coach of Kansas City Chiefs, one of the worst teams in the National Football League this season.

Levy
...five-year contract

"Usually when a team is 2-12, it's better than that," said Levy, 49, in reference to the Chiefs 1977 mark.

"And usually when a team is 12-2, it's probably not that good. I'm very pleased and honored to come to Kansas City. I'm looking forward to setting our sights very high and very lofty."

Levy led the Alouettes to the Grey Cup this season, their second title in his five years as coach of the Canadian Football League team. Montreal had a 50-34-4 record during his tenure.

Chiefs owner Lamar Hunt, who made the coaching announcement at a hastily-called news conference, praised Levy as "one of the brightest people I ever met."

"Marv Levy brings with him a record of proven success in pro football," said Hunt, who Monday fired interim coach Tom Bettis. "In five years, he has made three appearances in the Canadian Football League's Grey Cup championship game and his 13-5 record this past season was the best in the league."

Levy, inheriting a team that will get the No. 2 choice in the next college draft, declined to speculate on who the Chiefs might pick.

"On evaluating our personnel, I think it would be very premature for me to say very much," he said. "I plan to sit down with Les Miller (Chiefs head scout) as soon as possible and I'm hoping to talk individually with all of the current staff."

On Monday, Hunt fired the entire coaching staff, which was a holdover from the regime of Paul Wiggin, who was dismissed Oct. 31.

Levy stopped short of saying he may retain any of the former assistants.

"I've been on some staffs who were fired myself," Levy said with a smile. "We'll just have to see what happens. But I do have some definite thoughts in mind as to who I might want on my staff."

Levy is only the fourth coach in the Chiefs 18-year history, but the third in the past eight weeks.

Hank Stram, now coach of New Orleans Saints, led the team to two Super Bowl appearances and one championship in 15 years before being fired after a 5-9 season in 1974. Wiggin matched that mark in his first two seasons but was sacked after the Chiefs floundered to a 1-6 mark in the first half of this season.

Bettis was given the job on a probationary basis but could do no metter than match the team's showing under Wiggin.

Alouettes yield under pressure

MONTREAL (CP) — The departure of Marv Levy for the National Football League came at an inopportune time, David Berger, executive vice-president of Montreal Alouettes of the Canadian Football League said Tuesday.

"Everybody is familiar with the success we had this past season," he added in reference to the fact Levy coached the Alouettes to the Grey Cup title Nov. 27 and that Levy was reported to be the new head coach of the NFL's Kansas City Chiefs.

"We felt we had built up a strong coaching staff and a strong organization," Berger noted. "We wanted to continue in that manner without having to have any sort of violent disruptions."

The violent disruption came two weeks ago when Levy, who just finished the first year of a three-year contract, asked Alouettes' owner Sam Berger if he could negotiate with some NFL clubs. At first Berger, who was not present at the Alouettes' new conference Tuesday, refused permission but then reluctantly met Levy's request.

"We have a contract with Mr. Levy which we could enforce," David Berger added. "However Marv indicated that he would resign or sit out the year or that at best, if he stayed, he would be a reluctant coach. It was on that basis that we decided to agree not to hold him to his contract. We agreed to let him talk to the NFL teams."

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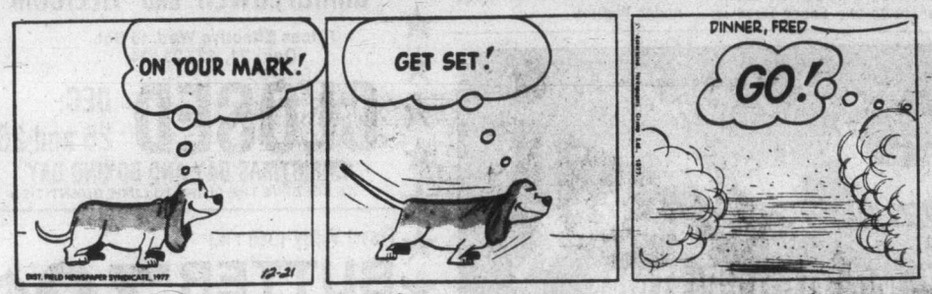

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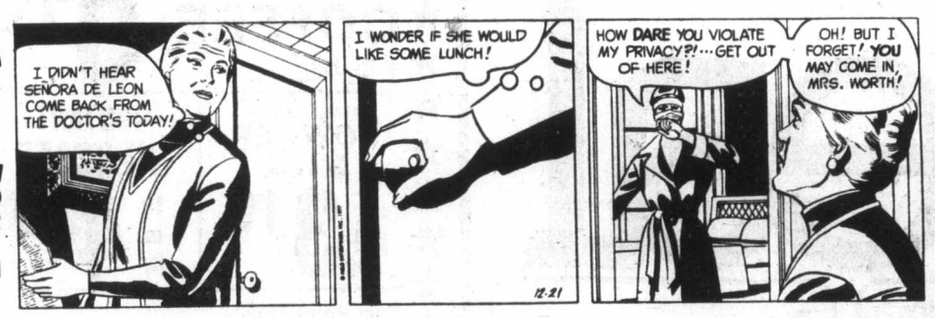

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M. V. Chesnut's Garden Notes

I have commented several times in this column on that unholy thrill that comes from picking a sun-warmed apple or pear from your very own tree in your very own garden. Much the same thrill can be yours if you can go out in the garden a few days before Christmas to cut sprays of holly from your own tree to decorate your home.

That thrill will be all the more intense, too, if your holly is one of the rarer kinds, perhaps with silver or gold margins to the leaves, or with amber or bright yellow berries instead of red.

There are more than 25 different kinds of holly in commerce, and at least nine kinds are grown and sold in British Columbia.

Hollies will thrive in most cultivated soils in full sun, although the commoner kinds — the ones with plain leaves — can get along quite well in light or partial shade.

In parks or open grounds, without the competition of neighboring plants and trees, a holly tree can grow to a height of 50 feet or more. They are slow-growing, though, and are easily kept under control and maintained at a reasonable size through judicious pruning.

As a hedge plant, holly has no peer. It will turn back dogs, children, cattle — in fact, it is virtually impassable to anything short of a bulldozer. It remains in full beauty for twelve months of the year, and its clipping, which with most hedges is a joyless chore, can become part of your family's Christmas ceremonial, like stirring the Christmas cake or bringing in the Yule log.

Actually, a holly hedge requires much less clipping than most hedge plants. Vigorous young hedges may benefit from some shaping and shortening of the fast-growing new growth during the summer months, but in an established hedge, once a year clipping is sufficient.

While August is the recommended month for clipping a holly hedge, I don't think too much harm can be done by postponing the chore until the Christmas season, so the prunings can be used for indoor decoration.

Needless to say, this operation is more of a pruning than a harvesting of a holly crop; it should always be done with secateurs — one-handed pruning shears — and never with the usual hedge shears, for ordinary shearing leaves mutilated leaves remaining on the hedge; these turn brown and look horrible.

Ideal times to plant are October and April with, I think, some edge in favor of October. While young holly trees are somewhat slow in taking a hold and require considerable time to make a sizeable hedge, the excellence and durability of such a hedge is well worth waiting for.

A common complaint in my mail concerns holly trees which won't produce any berries, and this is where sex rears its ugly head in the garden. Many kinds of holly — not all — come in separate male and female trees.

This complicates matters. If you have only male trees, you get no berries, for males cannot bear children. If you have female trees without a husky young male somewhere in the immediate neighbourhood, for the female blossoms cannot set berries unless they are fertilized with the pollen from male blossoms. Fortunately, holly trees have been developed which bear both male and female blossoms, and these can make berries without the presence of another tree.

Some of the most beautiful of the variegated hollies were named, apparently, by nurserymen who didn't know very much about the birds and the bees, for the variety Silver Queen is a male tree while Golden King is a female!

Jack Smith

My wife is not a bird watcher, though she finds one sport more exciting than football, but she got up early Sunday morning and drove with me to the Descanso Gardens for the annual Jack Smith birdwalk.

Walks are held every second and fourth Sunday at the gardens, but for the past several years the one held on the second Sunday of December has been named for me in recognition of one or two extraordinary sightings I have made in my back yard on Mt. Washington. Modesty forbids elucidation.

I sometimes wish they had named a walk for me in a summer month. It is often quite cold at the gardens at 8 o'clock of a December morning, and those who show up for the walk are either novices or intrepid fanatics. We have had colder walks, but this one SEEMED colder, because the sun chose not to come out. The sky was gray, and the mountains, which usually shine for us, were curtained off.

However, half the fun of birding is dressing for it. Also, we have been fortunate in having the walk led each year by Chuck Bernstein, the Audubon warbler, whose running comments keep his birders close and warm. His qualities of leadership remind me of Bart Starr's that Sunday he led the Packers to victory over the Cowboys at 20 below.

As usual, the walk began with routine sightings: A brown towhee, a white crested sparrow. "The white crested sparrow nests high in the Sierras," Bernstein said, "and comes down here to spend the winter with us. It's very nice to hear that little sound. It means we made it through another year."

Then the pace picked up: A ruby crowned kinglet, an Audubon's warbler, a robin.

"How about that hermit thrush?" said Bernstein, "right at the edge of the path!"

"Isn't that a Swainson's?" someone asked.

"Hermit thrush," said Bernstein firmly. "You can tell him by his reddish tail. Listen: There has never been a Swainson's thrush here in California in the winter. So forget it."

A moment later he pointed out a large plump bird in a sycamore tree. "You people from the east who say you miss your robins — there's a robin."

A young man with binoculars spotted a white bird, flying high, and called out "Cattle egret!" Bernstein was doubtful. So was I. I had not only never seen a cattle egret, I had never even heard of one.

"How can you tell?" I asked the man.

"It's white with a yellow bill and black feet," he said. Actually, he added, the cattle egret looks exactly like the common egret, except that the common egret is larger and, of course, commoner. He turned out to be Jeffrey Froke, manager of the Starr Ranch Audubon Sanctuary at San Juan Capistrano. A professional. So I had to believe him. "One way you can be sure it's a cattle egret," he said, "is if it's sitting on a cow."

I have usually been alert enough to sight something first on the walks, and this time it was an owl. It was perched in a tree about 100 yards away, but the tree was bare and the bird was so large it was easy to identify.

Bernstein checked it out with his glasses: "Cooper's hawk," he said reproachfully. "You people who don't bring your binoculars aren't going to be able to identify your birds."

"How can you tell it's not an owl?" I asked.

"It has a neck. Owls don't have a neck."

"You'll have him," a woman near me said confidentially, "if it hoots."

Suddenly the owl took flight and instantly a dozen smaller birds flew out of the trees, scattering for their lives. It was an exciting moment. Even at Descanso, nature is red in tooth and claw.

"That's your Cooper's hawk for sure," said Bernstein.

We trooped into the observation house on the lake to add the usual ducks and coots to our list, then climbed to the high road above the pond, picking up some quail, a red-shafted flicker and a female Anna's hummingibrd.

"Watch for owls and woodpeckers in here," Bernstein admonished as we set out over the shady path through the oak grove on the way to Hospitality House. We didn't see any owls or woodpeckers, but that may have been because the trees were too cold to peck. And of course owls are nocturnal.

Though she had't identified a single bird, on the walk back through the gardens from the house to the gate my wife identified camellias, azaleas and a bed of English primroses. The primroses were a revelation to me. I had encountered them only in the novels of Agatha Christie and Ngaio Marsh, and always imagined that they looked like any other roses, except primmer.

As we headed home I asked her whether she'd rather go home and watch football on TV or have brunch at the Huntington Sheraton.

We had bacon, eggs, sausage, chili, cantaloupe, pineapple, sweet rolls, bagels, fishballs, coffee and cake in the Crystal Terrace overlooking the pool, and champagne sent over to us with their compliments from a nearby table of UCLA sorority alumnae.

After brunch we strolled over the bridge across the hotel's garden stream, and unless I'm mistaken I saw a Swainson's thrush.

Sydney Harris

One of the worst attributes that an executive can have is his unwillingness to delegate any authority to a subordinate. The man who feels he has to hold all the reins all the time not only injures the morale of his underlings — he also betrays the future, by failing to provide for a smooth and effective succession when he departs.

When we use the word executive today, we think primarily of the businessman. But if an executive is someone who executes, than a man who executes a building or a painting also fits into that category.

This unwillingness to delegate is more a matter of temperament than of trade; it has less to do with the "line" you are in, or the nature of your duties, than with the kind of drive that brings men to the top in almost any calling. The vice is often the obverse side of the virtue.

I thought of this while reading about Michelangelo recently. He was an "executive" in his time — not of a company, but of an atelier, a workshop, where he commanded the utmost obedience of grateful apprentices. He was venerated in his own day, given as much prestige and honor as any prince or prelate or wealthy patron of the arts. Responding to this, he took on more assignments than he could possibly handle.

Now it is a striking and singular (and little-known) fact about Michelangelo's work that so much of it was left unfinished. And not for lack of time or because of premature death — he lived to be nearly 90. But he, too, suffered from the all-too-common defect of top executives.

About one-fifth of his paintings, and nearly two-thirds of his scultpures, were never completed. Of his larger works, such as the tomb of Pope Julius II, the Medici Chapel, the Capitoline Square, and St. Peter's not a single project was finished in the way he had intended.

"Michelangelo," explains Prof. Alexander Perrig, the art historian, "felt a compelling need to execute all the manual work personally, and he could only bring himself to delegate work to assistants in the most extreme emergency . . . his behavior robbed every assistant of the opportunity to become intimate with the Master's projects through active participation . . . burdened with the permanent status of an apprentice."

His passion for perfection compelled him to transgress the unwritten moral law of the Renaissance that "every master is obliged to pass on his artistic skill to his students" — with the result that much of his finest work remained incomplete. A tragedy to art, and perhaps a lesson to those, in every field, who willfully prefer to leave undone what no one but themselves is considered good enough to do.

James Bacon's Hollywood

HOLLYWOOD — **Constantine Niarchos**, who will inherit $90 million in six years, was expelled from the swank English prep school which he attended with **Prince Andrew** and **Prince Edward** of the Royal Family.

The son of the Greek shipping magnate got the bounce after a drug-related incident at the school. **Lord Leven**, chairman of the board of governors of Gordonstown school, confirmed that Niarchos was one of six kids, including one girl, expelled because of the incident.

His father's private Boeing 737 picked up the errant son at a nearby RAF base and took him home to Greece where the old man probably gave him hell as only the old-fashioned Greeks can dish it out.

Columnists are becoming worse prima donnas than actors ever were. One local columnist even insists that when he works in a movie there be no other columnists in the scene.

Happened the other day when director **Jerry London** filmed a key press conference scene in the $7.5 million Wheels, which Universal is making for NBC-TV airing in March.

The scene called for **Ralph Bellamy**, as a General Motors type chairman of the board, to announce that he was also taking over as president of the huge company because the former president had spied on a **Ralph Nader**-like consumer advocate. Sound familiar?

Anyhow when the columnist objected to other real columnists in the same scene, gorgeous actress **Joyce Jillson** got the job instead. She certainly dressed up the scene and brought a quality the other columnist lacks — acting ability.

Universal, which expects the **Arthur Hailey** mini-series to be this season's blockbuster in the Roots tradition, was so busy at its valley studio that it had to rent space at General Service studio in Hollywood.

Expedite bill, colleges urge

With school board budgets now being completed, the B.C. government should act quickly to proclaim the Colleges and Provincial Institutes Act, the B.C. Association of Colleges says.

The act will end local tax contributions for the operating costs of community colleges, and change the organization of college governance.

School board members who now do double duty as community college council members have the responsibility of assessing the needs of both the colleges and the public schools, BCAC president Bob Buckley has noted.

"Speedy activation of the government's promise to provide total funding for college operation would give welcome relief to local taxpayers and to hard-pressed school trustees," Buckley said.

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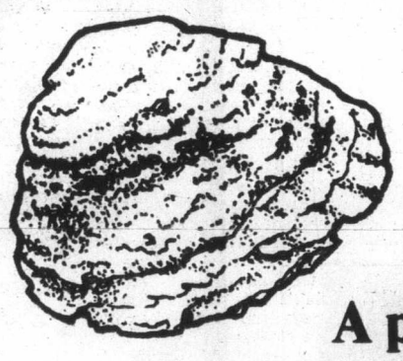

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Yankee youth frustrated by new pitcher purchases

By FRED ROTHENBERG

NEW YORK (AP) — New York Yankees grabbed a couple more famous arms for their already star-studded pitching corps at major league baseball's recent winter meetings in Hawaii, but, in the process, intensified the frustration felt by several of their top minor-league pitching prospects.

Ken Clay, Gil Patterson and Jim Beattie feel betrayed by the team's purchasing propensities and think the American League club's cheque-book policy is counterfeit.

"I don't think they can keep pushing the young guys back," said Clay, 23. "I think they should go with their organization more. That's what they have a minor-league system for."

"Buying pitchers is not a great idea," said Patterson, 22. "It has a real demoralizing effect on the young players in the organization."

"I keep hearing how the Yankees are big on developing and using their young players," said Beattie, 23. "Then they go out and buy players. I'm not saying the Yankees are saying one thing and doing another, but . . ."

There is one of the serious repercussions of the free-agent system. One man's splashy signing is another man's bus ride to the minors. The World Series champion Yankees have become very successful by turning their pockets inside out, but it's their farmhands who, ultimately, are paying the price.

The Yankees say the farm system is not being overlooked—that more money is being channelled into the minors than ever before and that, in baseball and war, you can't have too many arms.

"You can never have enough pitching," said Cedric Tallis, the Yankees' new vice-president and general manager who succeeded wheeler-dealer Gabe Paul. "It's a competitive business, and may the best man win. If we have a surplus of pitching, we can trade.

"Remember, we have some questions on our staff."

With the free-agent signing of Rawly Eastwick and the buying of Andy Messersmith in Honolulu added to the earlier purchase of Rich Gossage—the pitching plum of this year's free-agent crop—the Yankees have 10 name hurlers on a staff that normally numbers nine.

As starters, the projection is right-handers Ed Figueroa, Catfish Hunter, Dick Tidrow and Messersmith and left-handers Ron Guidry, Don Gullett and Ken Holtzman. The bullpen includes lefty Sparky Lyle and righties Gossage and Eastwick.

Figueroa, Hunter, Messersmith and Gullett were beset by injuries last season and Holtzman was rarely used, which means the Yankees' youngsters could eventually get action.

Clay has seen the bright lights of the Big Apple, as well as the neon in Hollywood, making 21 appearances for the Yankees in the 1977 season and a strong stint against Los Angeles in the World Series.

"What's going on is definitely demoralizing to a young player like myself," said the 23-year-old Clay from his home in Lynchburg, Va. "All I'm asking for is a fair chance. I don't want any special favors. If I don't make the club in spring training, I hope they trade me. I hope to have a career with the Yankees, but I don't want to go back to Triple A."

Patterson also spent some time with the Yankees in 1977 following a 16-4 record with their top farm clubs the year before. He had a sore arm for much of the 1977 season.

"I thought it was great when they got Gossage and said it would give them a chance to take risks with their young pitchers," Patterson said from Miami. "But when they picked up Messersmith and Eastwick, it didn't sound so great anymore."

Patterson said he would consent to one more year with the Yankees' organization in the minors, but Beattie wants only to wear a major league uniform—preferably one with pinstripes.

"There's a fine line how many players they can get without destroying morale," said Beattie from Portland, Me. "Right now I think they're treading on the danger side of that line."

Babe earns rewards after 40-year absence

SEATTLE (AP) — Dawn (Babe) Musselman has made her comeback.

Musselman, formerly Babe Gilson, was the teen-age swimming sensation who just missed going to the 1932 Olympics and then quit competitive swimming.

After more than 40 years, she's back. Last year Babe set 10 national records in the 60 to 64 age group at the national Masters swimming championships. Only one has been broken since then. Her next big event is the nationals in May.

But she can't forget what might have been.

At age 17, after several years of breaking women's swimming records, she went to New York in 1932 for the Olympic trials. The day before the event she sprained her ankle.

"The doctor taped my ankle so silly," she recalled in a recent interview. "It was so huge. And I begged my coach to let me swim, and I begged to swim freestyle, and my coach wouldn't let me. So I lost out."

Lost out and dropped out. She gave up competitive swimming, got married, reared two daughters.

Not until a couple years ago did she take up swimming again, joining the Pacific Northwest Association Masters Swimming program because "I wasn't feeling well."

In May, 1976, she went to Mission Viejo, Calif., to participate in her first national meet. Watching were her husband, daughter and grand-daughter.

"I'd already established a few records," she recalls, "but I didn't know what I could do then.

"It was quite comical. I'd come in and ask who had won, and they would say I did. And I just couldn't believe it."

She'll still be 64 in May, so she won't have a chance at the age 65-69 records until 1979.

"One of the gals that turned 65 before the nationals in Spokane said, 'Boy, I'm getting all the gold I can before Dawn gets in,' " she said.

She shrugs off the success of her comeback.

"If you were a fabulous ice skater in your day, you wouldn't be falling down all the time like someone just starting out," she said. "Things would come back to you.

"Some people have said they feel my experience has helped a good deal, and that's probably true."

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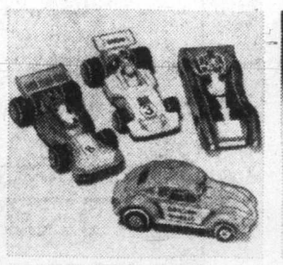

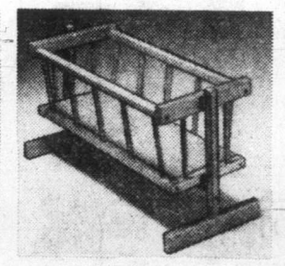

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Inside fairyland

Anywhere else in Canada, the snow would be outside, but in Victoria youngsters enjoy the sight of a winter scene in an Eaton's display window.

London's Ho Ho Harrods answers all holiday needs

LONDON (AP) — Even Scrooge might have had second thoughts if he'd wandered into London's most famous shopping landmark and found himself surrounded by 50 tons of Christmas pudding.

Within the 23 acres that comprise Harrods, the store that boasts "Everyone, everything, everywhere," 65,000 mince pies, 100,000 pounds of fresh beef and 18,000 pounds of chocolates also wait for holiday spenders to bundle them home.

With a falling inflation rate, a rising pound and a record number of tourists during the Silver Jubilee year of its best-loved customer—Queen Elizabeth—Harrods expects the Christmas rush and January sale to push its January-to-January turnover above last year's record $180 million.

The 80 display windows glittering with tinsel-draped furs and beaded ballgowns may seem daunting, but inside the big pink institution in Knightsbridge 5,000 employees sell everything from soup to nuts to you-name-it this holiday season.

There's partridge in the food hall and they say they can get a pear tree if you want.

Since its founding in 1849 by Henry Harrod, Europe's largest department store has steadily expanded its departments so that now it will cater your wedding, plan your vacation, sell you a house, handle your banking needs and even arrange your funeral.

It says tourists account for 40 per cent of sales.

Not to be outdone by that specialty store in Texas—"Yes, we are familiar with Neiman-Marcus"—Harrods has a variety of gifts this Christmas guaranteed to please the man or woman who has everything.

There's a computerized exercise cycle that programs the right muscle stretches for you if you tell it your weight, age and sex. Price, about $2,500.

For the woman who likes practical diamonds, there is a Cartier gold pendant decorated with the precious stones and filled with solid perfume. About $2,500.

For the executive who wants to be a fashion plate in the board room, Harrods offers silk ties with a diamond motif woven into the material and real jewels sewn in the same pattern in the centre of the tie. All for about $1,850, "and don't ask me how to clean it, I haven't the vaguest idea," says Harrods' Meg Gilmore.

But there are thousands of small gifts as well for the economy-minded who simply want to spend a day wandering through the five gaily decorated sales floors or lunch at one of the seven restaurants adorned with red-bowed fir trees.

"English Stilton cheeses and bottles of port are still favorite gifts despite changing tastes," said Miss Gilmore. "High tea on Christmas Day is dying out, and the trend is more and more towards convenience for people who have small children by serving a noontime or early afternoon turkey dinner. But Christmas puddings are here forever."

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The Bionic Consumer a true original

Wind him up, let go in toy shop

By JACK WILLIAMS
Colonist-Copley Service

One of these days, those creative copiers of the toy industry — steeped as they are in mimicry and gimmickry — may foist upon the world a true original. The Bionic Consumer.

Just wind him up, point him in the direction of the nearest toy emporium, and watch him buy on and on.

Not that such a phenomenon is needed.

The industry seems as healthy as the Six Million Dollar Man, having shipped a record $3.1 billion worth of toys last year and somewhere in the neighborhood of $5 billion this year, much of it in anticipation of the Christmas rush.

Or, as the toy people might call it — The Bionic Boom.

Whatever, the toy-buying season is here and stores are bracing for the blitz, equipped with more bionic items than you can point a TV camera at.

To wit:

● The Bionic Mission Vehicle (a 20-inch-long car-plane with a highly detailed cockpit, communications gear and plug-in cables).

● Bionic Adventure Sets (containing outfits and equipment for pretend bionic adventures).

● The Bionic Woman Sports Car (a 21-inch, two-passenger vehicle complete with gearshift, brakes and CB radio).

● Oscar Goldman and His Briefcase (modelled after the OSI chief seen on The Six Million Dollar Man and Bionic Woman TV shows, of course).

● The Bionic Woman Carriage House (two-storey dollhouse complete with bionic bookcase and bed).

● Bionic Styling Boutique (for prettier, more stylish, if not sexy, Bionic Woman).

● His and Her Bionic Bikes (with CB mikes, wheels that click and a TV scanner).

● Bionic Ports-Communicator (an electronic device transmits and amplifies a child's voice through a backpack speaker worn by, who else, The Six Million Dollar Man).

Austin, Sommers started phenomenon

They're all new for 1977, continuing a trend begun last year when "The Man," Steve Austin, sold more than two million copies and "The Woman," Jamie Sommers, 1.5 million.

Kenner Products, Cincinnati-based and a division of the General Mills Fun Group, markets these goodies that proliferate under Christmas trees.

A marketing coup, to be sure. But the same company says it will not have ready for Christmas another line of toys to which it has exclusive rights — Star Wars.

Licensing agreements were not completed until last April. Products won't be on store shelves until early next year, and disappointed shoppers — hoping to pick up such figures as Leia Organa, Chewbaca, Artoo-Detoo and Luke Skywalker — will have to settle for a certificate. A Star Wars Early Bird Certificate.

Released recently to some stores, it includes a full-color, stand-up backdrop showing the movie's characters, a membership card in the Star Wars club, Star Wars stickers and a certificate.

The latter, when mailed directly to Kenner, reserves the four Star Wars action figures.

"It takes a full year to make the authentic toy characters and spaceship, and we'd rather do it right and do it late," a company spokesman said, explaining the post-Christmas delay.

That's not to say, though, that science fiction-type toys won't do astronmical business. Ideal, for example, has introduced such out-of-this-world items as:

● Zem 21, a robot who is an ally of the zeroids.

● Knight of Darkness, Zem's adversary.

● Starhawk, a spaceship.

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Montreal Island School Council indicate an increase of 9.5 per cent in enrolment in English-language kindergarten classes in the Montreal area and a drop of 12.2 per cent in French-language classes.

Therese Lavoie-Roux, the Liberal party's education critic, said the figures probably represent "a transitory trend" caused by the terms of the French-language charter, popularly known as Bill 101.

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ANN LANDERS

Dear Ann Landers: What can you do when you are a teenage girl and your parents have lost all trust in you just because of one party?

All of this "no trust" started two weeks ago at my best girlfriend's house. Brenda (not her real name) is a neat kid. Her parents are very nice, too. But they came home a lot earlier than expected the night of this party. One of the boys was throwing up in the kitchen sink when they walked in. (Another dude had heaved on the living room rug but we cleaned it up very nicely with soda pop. They noticed it anyway.)

Brenda's dad said he smelled pot and told everyone to go home. Unfortunately one of the girls left her pipe behind and that was the "evidence."

I do not smoke dope, but I did have a few sips of beer. Not being much of a drinker, it got to me and I was laughing a lot and acting silly. Brenda's mother drove me home, woke up my parents and said, "Here is your daughter. She got drunk at our house tonight and we are sorry."

I am 14 years old and have been grounded for six months. I can't go any place except to school and church and to a movie with a girl friend on Saturday afternoon. My mom takes us down and picks us up. I feel like I am in jail. How can I regain the trust of my parents? — **In Chains**

Dear Chains: The only way to regain lost confidence is by performance. Show your parents you can be trusted by honoring the rules and regulations that have been set up. Don't try to cut any corners or get away with anything.

If after four months you have a perfect record, ask if you can be "on parole for the remaining 60 days." If they say no, accept the full stretch. If they say yes, do everything you can to prove to them that you have learned your lesson and you will then earn their trust. Good luck.

Dear Ann Landers: I hope you will print this. A lot of folks need to know how to speak to a person who is wearing a hearing aid.

Of course it is natural to assume that a person who wears an aid is hard at hearing, but why don't folks realize that the aid amplifies the sound and it's not one bit helpful when someone screams in their ears?

Screaming can cause nervousness and discourage the use of the aid. It is much more helpful if a person will speak more slowly and enunciate his words.

Please put this in your column. It would mean a lot. — **Still Trembling in Tallahassee**

Dear T.: Here it is. I hope it helps. And now I have a suggestion. Why don't you hard-of-hearing folks who get hollered at clip this column, carry it with you and hand it to the offending parties at the appropriate moment? I can say it more easily than you — and no one will be offended. In fact, a real friend will appreciate the information.

CONFIDENTIAL to Want To Get It Straight: Marjorie Holmes' lovely poem, "A Prayer for Cross Mothers," appears in the book "I've Got to Talk to Somebody, God," available in paperback from Bantam.

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Halls are alive with Christmas

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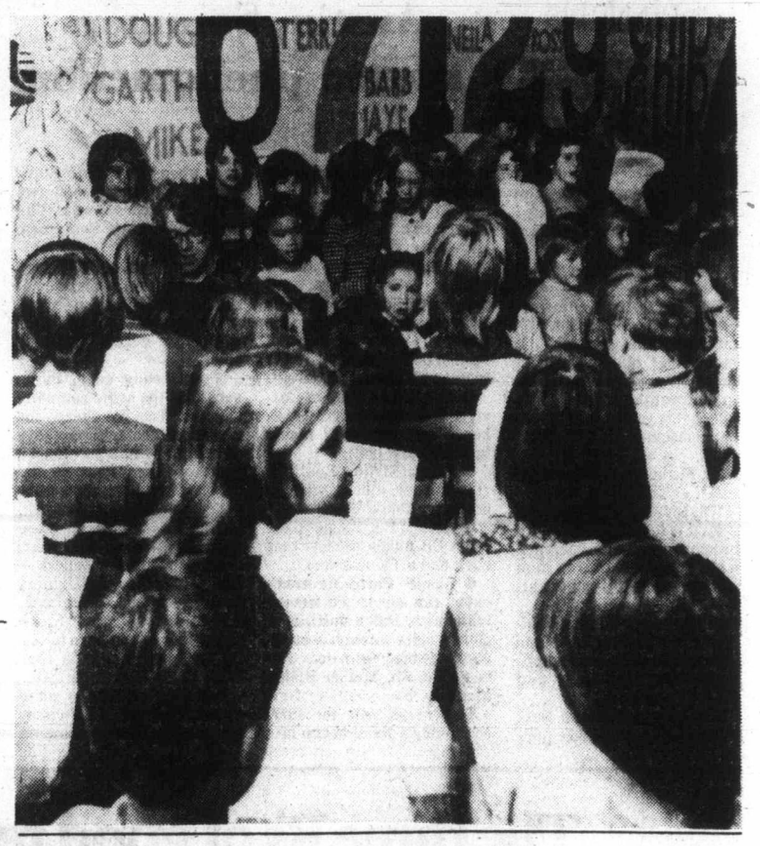

Your Good Health

Dear Dr. Thosteson: I have vitiligo and recently my dermatologist suggested checking my thyroid gland, which was found low. My doctor doesn't think so. — **V.W.**

I doubt it. You certainly couldn't predict it. Vitiligo (patches of de-pigmented skin) is often an inherited condition or can follow skin injury as a blister or burn. It's cosmetic nuisance for which there is no really satisfactory answer. Similar skin changes are found with Addison's disease — a problem of adrenal gland insufficiency. This is often accompanied by low thyroid activity. If I were to guess, I'd say that was why the tests were run.

The thyroid medicine would be for the low gland activity, not for the vitiligo. I see no objection to use of the medicine for that reason. An incidental side effect *might* be some change in the skin condition, but I wouldn't bank heavily on it. If it were to have any effect it would be a long time coming.

If afflicted with problem fingernails or toenails, learn the practical, medically correct form of treatment.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: Please send me your book on hiatal hernia. I am on a bland diet, but just what that is I don't know. I have no diet to go by. Do you know what I can or can't eat. — Mrs. H.J.

I hope you don't need a booklet just to tell you what a bland diet is. Why didn't you ask the physician who is treating you? Most doctors have diet sheets that tell you what you want to know. Ask the nurse to get one for you.

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Economy in casing

Bits of meat make delicious sausage

The Butcher
by Merle Ellis

The skill of a well-trained sausage maker knows no boundaries when it comes to creating good, nutritious, delicious and economical meat products to grace our tables and satisfy our palates. He can turn bits and pieces — of pork, beef, veal, even turkey and chicken — too tiny for much of anything on their own, into marvelous meat products.

So can you if you will master some of the sausage maker's skills. Making your own sausage is not only a lot of fun — as much fun as making your own wine and you don't get your feet purple — it can also save you a lot of money. It's a great way to make good and delicious use of any and almost all of the scraps of meat that result from cutting-up-in-the-kitchen.

Make it a practice in your kitchen to save every scrap beef, pork and veal that accumulates from any meat trimming and cutting you do. Trimmings from smoked meats are good to save, as well; bacon ends and bits of ham fat can add a deliciously old-fashioned smoked flavor to some of your homemade sausage. Store each different meat in a heavy duty plastic bag in your freezer — beef trimmings in one bag, pork in another, etc. When you have accumulated two or three pounds of trimmings you're ready to make sausage. Trimmings should be about ⅓ fat and ⅔ lean to make the best and juiciest sausage, so don't just save the lean meat.

When it comes to filling and linking sausage casings it helps to know a few of the tricks of the trade. First the casings: hog casings usually come packed in salt and will keep for some time even without refrigeration. But if you keep them in the refrigerator they not only will keep longer but better; they stay nice and soft and much easier to work with.

When you're ready for stuffing, rinse the casings in warm water to remove the salt. Then soak them for an hour or two in lukewarm water to which you have added a tablespoon or so of vinegar. The water should be about 90 degrees; if it is too hot the casings are scalded, become tender and burst in stuffing.

Before threading the casings on a stuffing tube, hold them under gently running cool water and let the water run through them. To stuff the casings, tie one end in a knot and fit the open end over the nozzle of your stuffing tube. Pull the casing over the nozzle until you have reached the knotted end. Prick a tiny hole in the knotted end with a needle so the air can get out as you begin pushing the meat through the stuffing tube. Don't try to twist links one at a time as they are stuffed. It's much simpler to stuff a length of casing three or four feet long and then twist the links.

If you want to get professional about all of this and make sure your links are uniform in size, you can make a simple "linking block" like the ones old time sausage makers used to use.

Take a piece of 1-inch board about a foot long and as wide as you want your sausage links to be long. Screw or nail to each side of the board a piece of ridged molding, as shown. You can get molding at any lumber yard or plane down two strips of wood yourself. The height of the ridge should be about half the diamenter of the sausage. For sausage such as those we're making, or any stuffed in hog casings, that's about half an inch.

To make links, hold the stuffed casings across the two ridges; press down over the ridges with your thumbs ot squeeze the meat from that part of the casing and roll away from yourself. In no time you'll be linking sausage as fast as you can swing your arms back and forth.

Should you really get into this sausage making thing, a separate linking block can be made for each of the different casings you use — sheep, hog and beef middles — and for each length of link you want to turn out. Happy stuffing!

Oh, by the way, if you have a hard time finding hog casings in your neighborhood you can get them where I get mine. For $2.95 including postage and handling, Carlson's Butcher Supply, 2609 San Bruno Ave., San Francisco 94134, will send you a "half-doll" of hog casings. That's sausage meat. For $3.95 you can get two "half-doll;" that's enough for stuffing sausage from now 'til the hogs come home.

Sausage making can be mastered

This time of year, in the Swedish Christmas Tradition, is the time for Potato Sausage.

SWEDISH POTATO SAUSAGE

- 2 lbs. beef trimmings, coarsely ground
- 2 lbs. pork trimmings, coarsely ground
- 2 lbs. potatoes
- 2 medium onions, grated
- 1 T. salt
- 2 tsp. dry mustard
- 1 tsp. white pepper
- ½ tsp. allspice
- ½ tsp. marjoram
- Hog casings, soaked, rinsed

Mix the ground meat together. Peel and grate the potatoes and squeeze them dry to help keep them from turning dark. Add the potatoes and all the seasonings to the meat and mix thoroughly. Nothing can beat using your hands to get the seasonings well mixed into the meat, so don't try to be neat. Just dig in. Fill casings loosely and twist into links.

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Teen-aged girls' children boiling from poor rearing

NEW YORK (AP) — Teenage girls are often so poor at mothering that their children become angry, destructive people at great cost to society, psychoanalysts said this week.

They called for more funds for research and community facilities designed to help teen-agers become better mothers and rear better adjusted children.

Too often, those children are unable to form human attachments and show early aggressive behavior, said doctors Joann Fineman and Marguarite Smith, reporting on a five-year study by the Dr. Solomon Carter Fuller Community Mental Health Centre in Boston.

Mothers as young as 13 need to "develop the capacity to mother, to see themselves as the care-giver ... to see their babies as another human being with needs she can fulfill," said Dr. Roy Gay Lilleskov of New York City at the annual meeting of the American Psychoanalytical Association.

The Planned Parenthood Federation of America has said that more than one million adolescent women become pregnant each year. Those pregnancies result in more than 600,000 births—one-fifth of all the births in the U.S. Two-thirds of the pregnancies are unintended, resulting from ignorance or misinformation about birth control and sexuality, the federation has said.

Even to those teen-agers who deliberately get pregnant and give birth, often "the baby is incidental," said Dr. J. Alexis Burland. "They are using the baby to satisfy some internal need, and cannot love the baby adequately."

Psychoanalytic techniques can help such young mothers, said Dr. Theodore Cohen of Narberth, Pa., adding that research is essential.

He said "society seems to be angry with these people" and takes an attitude that "they need to be punished." As a result, he said, funds have been cut off for research and facilities.

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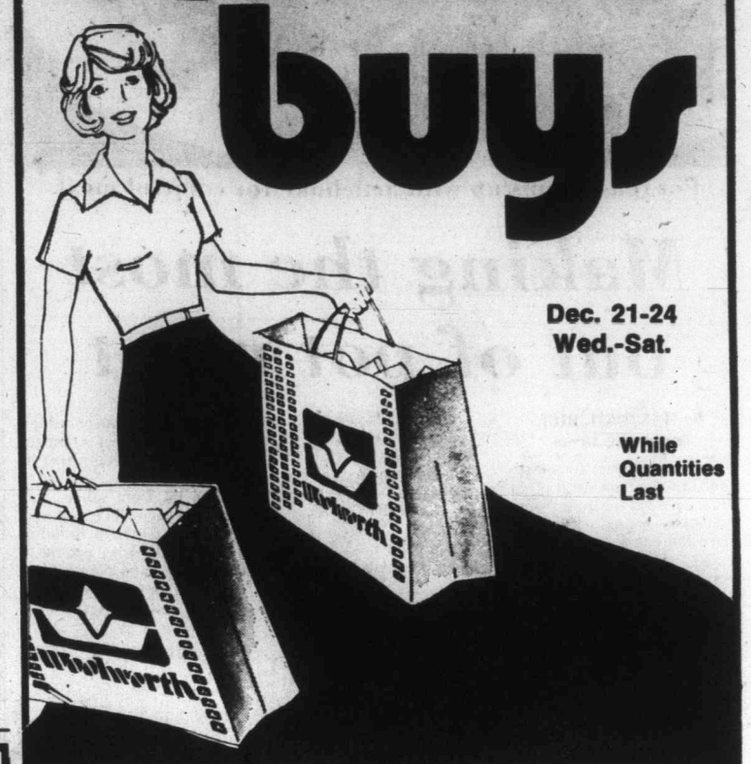

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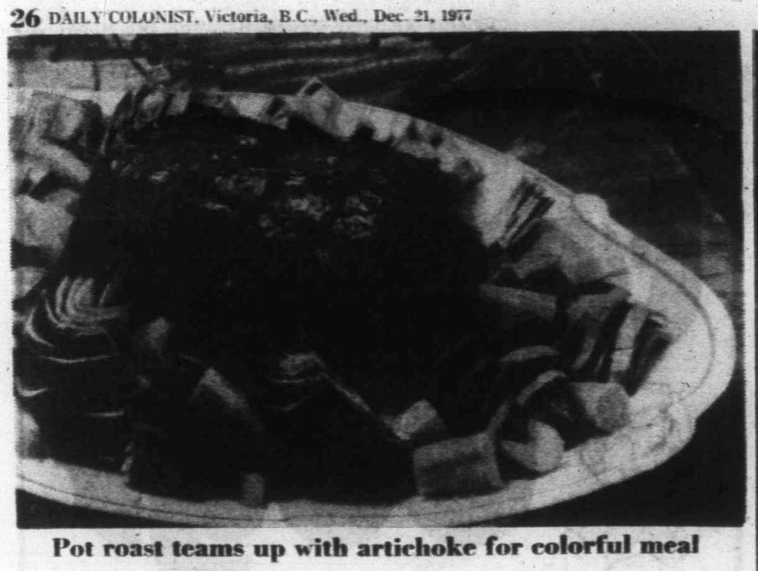

Pot roast teams up with artichoke for colorful meal

Making the most out of pot roast

By MARJORIE RICE
Colonist-Copley Service

Say economy beef and most people think of pot roast.

Since pot roast comes from the biggest primal cut of the steer, the chuck, and is less tender, it generally costs less.

Here are recipes for making the most of the less-tender pieces of beef.

ARTICHOKE POT ROAST DINNER

1 tbsp. salad oil
4 to 4½ lbs. pot roast (rump or eye round)
Salt
½ tsp. pepper
1 bay leaf
2 cloves garlic
1 large onion, chopped
½ tsp. Worchestershire sauce
Water
6 medium artichokes trimmed and quartered
1 lb. carrots, cut in 1-inch pieces
1 cup sliced celery
½ cup flour

Heat oil in large Dutch oven; brown roast on all sides. Drain off fat. Sprinkle meat with 1½ teaspoons of salt. Add pepper, bay leaf, garlic, onion, Worcestershire, and two cups water.

Cover and simmer 2½ hours, or until meat is almost done. Add one cup water and the vegetables. Sprinkle with one teaspoon salt, if desired. Cover and simmer 30 minutes longer or until vegetables and meat are tender. Place meat and vegetables on platter (remove vegetables with slotted spoon).

Measure cooking liquid. Add water if needed to make three cups. Return to pan. Blend four and ½ cup water; stir into cooking liquid. Cook, stirring constantly, until gravy boils; boil two to three minutes. Season to taste with salt and pepper and serve with meat and vegetables.

To trim artichokes: Cut off stems at base and remove three or four layers of bottom leaves. Cut off one to 1½ inches from top of artichokes and trim off any tips remaining on leaves. Cut artichokes in quarters and remove fuzzy chokes from the center. Rub all cut surfaces with lemon juice.

CHUCK POT ROAST

3 lbs. boneless beef chuck
3 tbsps. cooking oil
½ cup maple syrup
½ cup cider vinegar
2 bay leaves
2 medium onions, cut in wedges
½ tsp. allspice
1 tsp. salt
½ tsp. pepper
3 cups beef stock

Brown beef on all sides in hot oil. Add all remaining ingredients. Cover and simmer two hours until beef is tender. Slice beef and keep warm in oven.

Skim fat from sauce. Put sauce through sieve to puree onions or whirl in blender until smooth. Serve pot roast with sauce, and potato pancakes, if desired. Garnish with parsley. Makes six servings.

Peak weight

Men reach theirs first

WASHINGTON (AP) — Most men can expect to reach their peak weight between the ages of 35 and 44, but women keep growing heavier until they are between 55 and 64, a U.S. government survey shows.

The study by the National Centre for Health Statistics also found that both men and women weigh a few pounds more than their counterparts did in a national survey conducted in the early 1960s.

Alice Haywood, a centre official, said it is not clear why a woman's weight does not turn downward until she reaches her mid-50s or later.

Men who stand five feet seven inches or shorter do not reach their peak weight until the ages 45 to 54, or a decade longer than men of average height.

However, while men who are five feet nine inches or taller shed pounds after reaching their top weight between 35 and 44, they gain some but not all of it back between 55 and 64 before losing weight again.

The average adult man stood five feet nine inches and weighed 172. The average woman was a shade over five feet 3½ inches and weighed 143.

People were measured for height with their shoes off. Weight figures include an estimated half-pound of clothing.

In the new survey, based on health examinations of more than 13,600 persons from 1971 to 1974, women under age 45 weighed 4.7 pounds more on the average than women checked in 1960 to 1962. After age 45, the difference was less than a pound in the two surveys.

Men under age 45 were 3.8 pounds heavier and those 45 and older weighed 4.8 pounds more than their counterparts of a decade ago.

The centre's report said: "Average weights of men increase rapidly until the age group 25-34 . . . (and) then (the rates of increase) flatten out."

Women's weight climbs rapidly until ages 35 to 44 and then increases slowly until it starts dropping as women approach their retirement years.

THE SLIM GOURMET

CALORIE-CONSCIOUS COOKING

By Barbara Gibbons

What tastes rich and expensive, although it's cheap and calorie-shy? (Hint: it rhymes with "gourmet.") Pate, what else! It even sounds expensive: "Dahling Have some pah-tay!" leave it to the French to make a whole paragraph out of a four-letter word.

Many pates are expensive and fattening, but not these:

LOW-CALORIE LIVER PATE

1 pound beef liver
2 tablespoons diet margarine
1 onion, sliced
1 stalk celery, trimmed
1 clove garlic, peeled
2 tablespoons lemon juice
salt and pepper

Cook liver in diet margarine in a nonstick skillet over low heat. (Don't overcook. Liver should be slightly pink in the middle.) Cool. Put liver, onion, celery and garlic through food mill, processor or blender. Add lemon juice, salt and pepper to taste. Blend to a smooth paste. Chill thoroughly before serving. Makes six appetizer servings, 135 calories each.

TURKEY PATE

2 cups ground cooked turkey meat
2 hardcooked eggs, peeled and shredded
1 tablespoon white wine
salt and pepper to taste
pinch of cayenne pepper or chili powder (to taste)
2 tablespoons chopped fresh parsley
3 or 4 tablespoons low-fat mayonnaise

Combine ingredients, adding just enough mayonnaise to make a paste. Chill until serving time. Serve with saltines or crackers. Makes six appetizer servings, about 130 calories each.

Here's a hearty chicken liver pate that's a Jewish favorite. Our version is without the unfavored extra calories.

CHOPPED CHICKEN LIVERS

1 tablespoon margarine
2 tablespoons dry white wine
2 large onions, chopped
3 stalks celery, chopped
one-half green pepper, seeded and chopped
2 pounds chicken livers, halved
2 teaspoons salt, or butter-flavored salt
one-half teaspoon coarsely ground pepper
one-eighth teaspoon ground cloves
6 hard-cooked eggs, finely chopped
about 4 tablespoons low-fat mayonnaise

Combine all ingredients — except eggs and mayonnaise — in a nonstick skillet. Cover and simmer over moderate heat until onions are soft. Uncover and continue cooking until liquid evaporates. The livers and vegetables will begin to brown in the remaining margarine. Stir to keep from sticking.

When no pink remains in the chicken livers, remove from heat. Chop the liver mixture very fine (or put through a meat grinder or food processor.)

Combine the liver and chopped eggs with just enough mayonnaise to hold together. Chill several hours. Mound on a bed of lettuce and serve with saltines or matzohs. Makes 18 appetizer servings, 105 calories each.

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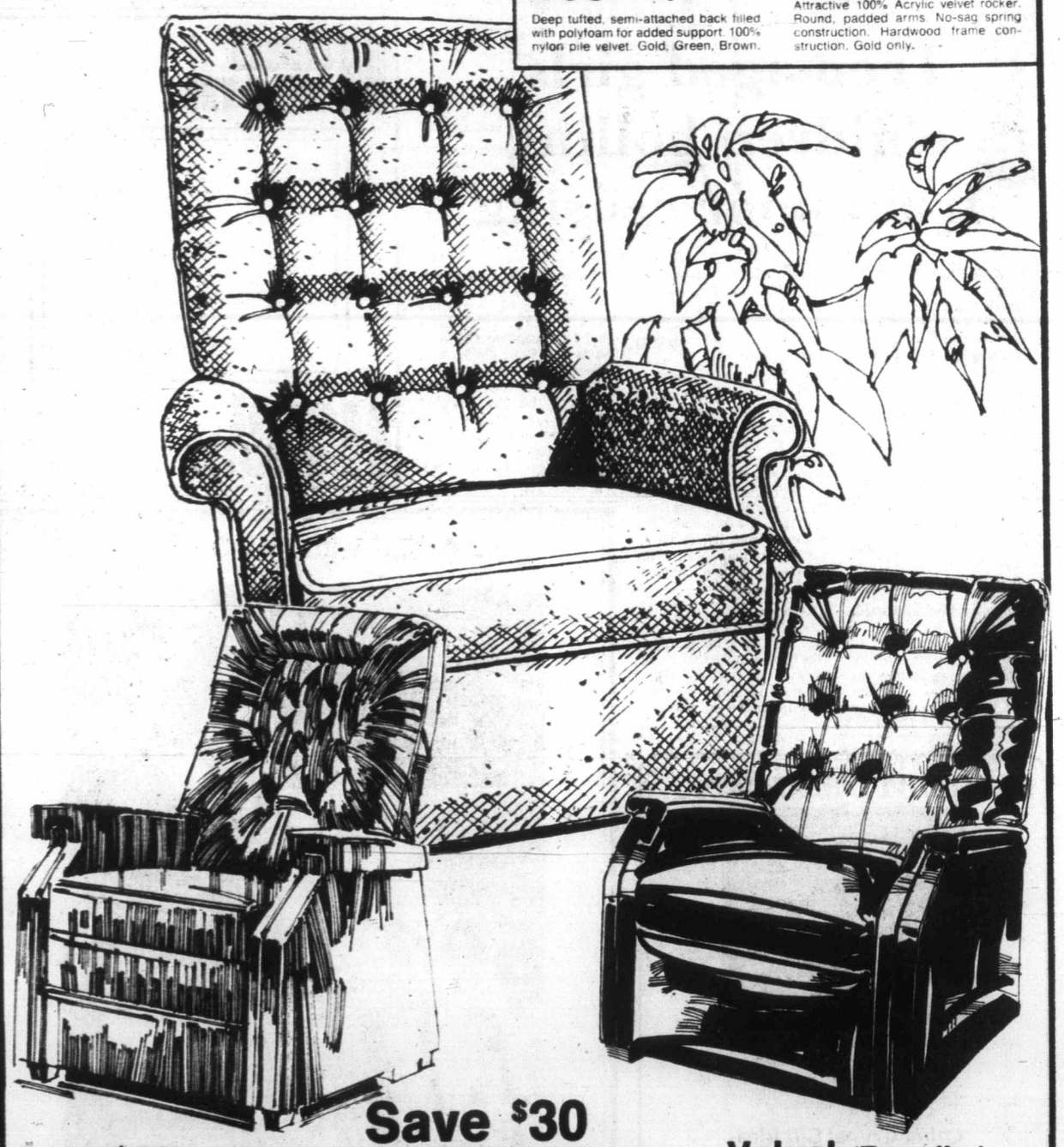

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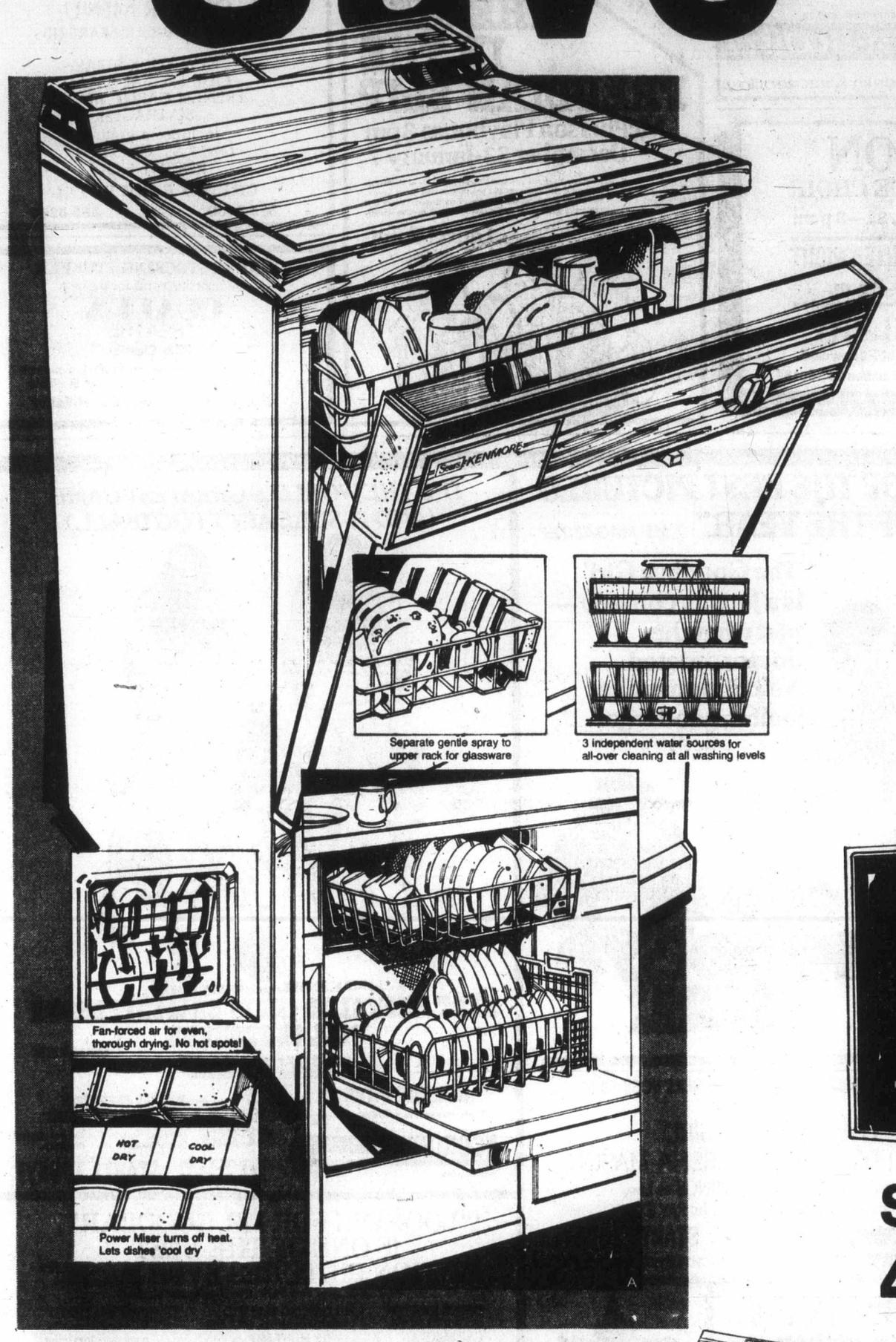

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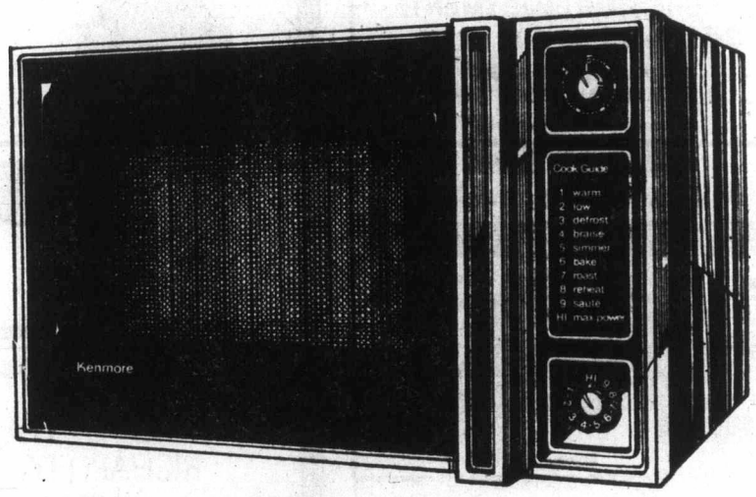

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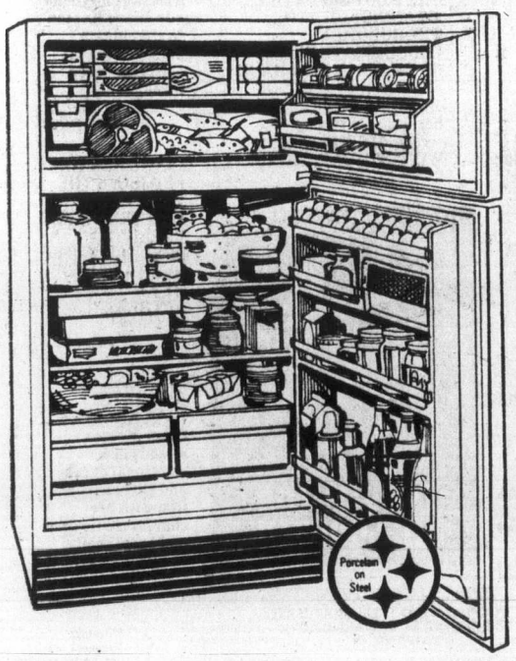

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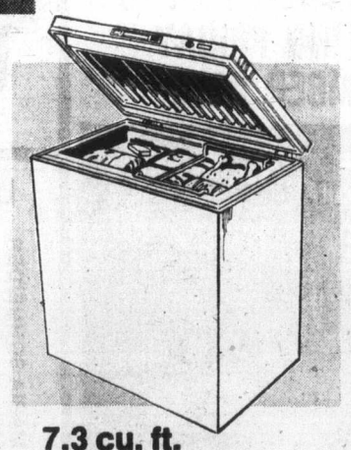

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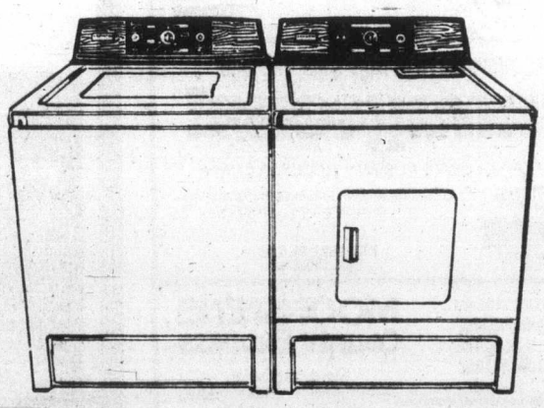

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The number of new dwelling units created this year is 570, down about 600 from last year.

Major permits taken out this year included construction of a $3-million warehouse and garage on West Saanich Road.

CAMP VICTIMS TO TESTIFY

OTTAWA (CP) — West German court officials are expected to take sworn testimony in Canada next year from survivors of at least one Nazi concentration camp.

Avraham Weiss, a top Canadian Jewish Congress official, confirmed in a telephone interview from Montreal this week that there are plans for Dusseldorf court officials to hear sworn testimony from some Jewish survivors of the Majdanek concentration camp in Poland.

He said it is possible there will be similar steps by court officials in the Hanover area. The congress has been asked to locate possible witnesses for both the Majdanek and Hanover cases.

Nine men and five women have been accused of murder during the Second World War in the Majdanek camp. A trial has been under way for more than two years in Dusseldorf.

Weiss indicated that the Jewish Congress has not received any instructions from Hanover on the proceedings there. He understood an investigation was still under way to see if there was sufficient evidence to warrant charges.

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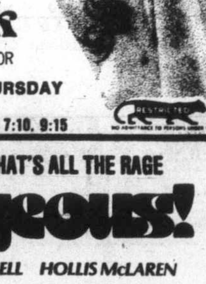

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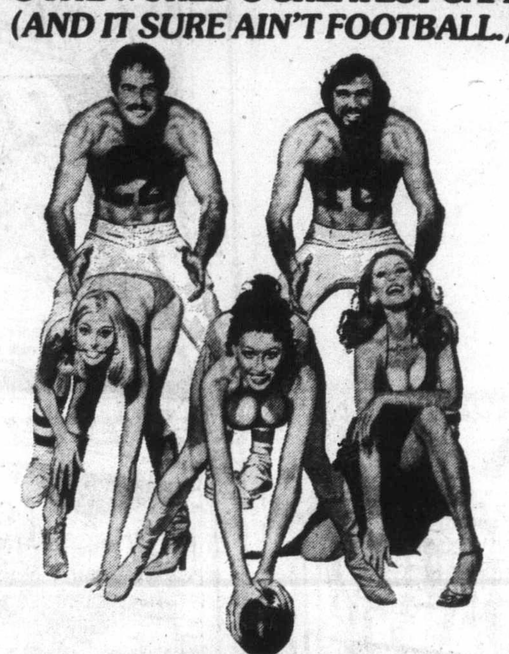

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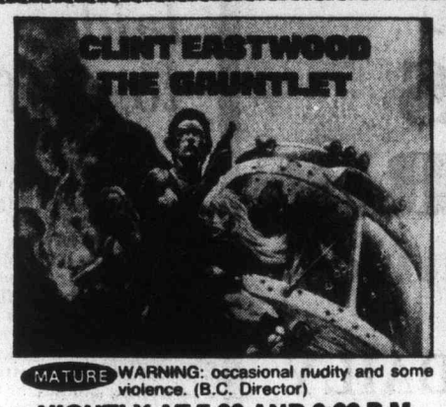

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SCHOOLS' IN

Greater Victoria elementary schools have been particularly active this year in raising money for the Colonist 500 Christmas fund. Among schools which presented cheques Tuesday were Gordon Head (top) and Quadra elementary (right). With cheque for $150 from Gordon Head are, from left, Loris Boak, Carol Webb, teacher Tarjeet Mann, Dennis Lee and Garth Pilon. Quadra students made a "media event" out of their presentation, dressing up for the occasion. As Christmas presents are Darlene Nip, Brian Baldwin (front) and Violetta Kolodziejczyk, along with Laurie Readman, holding cheque, Angela Grafton and Martin Herzog.

A-G office gets nod to hire 36 workers

The provincial cabinet has authorized Auditor-General Erma Morrison to hire staff.

An order-in-council made public Tuesday permits the hiring of 36 people including four audit directors and six audit managers.

A separate order-in-council transfers from the comptroller-general to the auditor-general the statutory duty of conducting an audit of various boards, committees, authorities, universities and funds.

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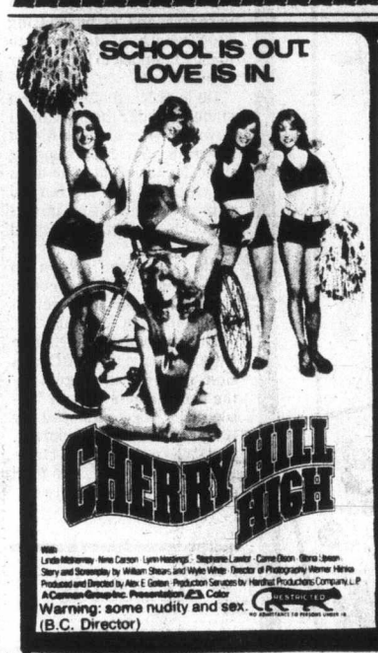

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'We'll all hang' —drug trial tape

Five tape recordings of telephone calls together with a written transcript were admitted as exhibits in a Victoria county court drug conspiracy trial Tuesday but the rest of the day was spent in legal argument with no witnesses being called.

Three persons, James Bradley Bellefontaine, 24, JoAnne Gareau and Patrick Joseph McLoughlin, 29, are accused of conspiracy to traffic in cannabis resin between May 12, 1976, and July 21, 1976, in Victoria county and elsewhere in B.C.

Judge E.J.C. Stewart ruled Monday that the bulk of the tapes presented in a voir dire, or trial within a trial, last September were admissible.

After two hours of legal argument on several matters, Stewart adjourned the trial until today.

In one tape recording, the transcript says Bellefontaine asked McLoughlin and Gareau to come over and "groove" and said "yes, I want a weight" to which McLoughlin said "a large one?" and Bellefontaine replied "yes."

Another recording showed McLoughlin talking to Gareau about someone called Bruce and "it appears that we're gonna change a pound with the other guy" and to expect someone called Robbie anytime "he needs to measure something, right" and "so give him the little ones, right . . .okay." Gareau said she didn't know what he was talking about.

McLoughlin mentioned someone called John and Gareau said "didn't . . .didn't John make a specific, a . . . request for that." McLoughlin replied "yeah, well he . . . a . . .he did, . . .um . . . four singly and one . . . and one as a lump."

In another call, the transcript has McLoughlin telling "Rob" that "you must remember your telephone talk" and "you'll hang you know . . . ah . . we'll all hang."

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Saanich orders look

An application by Webb and Trace to dump an unspecified amount of fill on agricultural land in the Blenkinsop Valley was received by Saanich council Monday and promptly referred to the public works committee for investigation and a report to council.

The permit, which must be approved by the B.C. Land Commission as well as council, would cover 30,000 cubic yards of fill dumped on the trucking firm's Blenkinsop Road property two months ago.

The company recently unveiled plans for a major expansion of its fill operation. It wants to level between 80,000 and 90,000 yards of fill, covered by 6,400 yards of topsoil to a maximum depth of 23 feet.

Aldermen agreed that many more questions needed to be answered before they could consider the request.

The commission ordered a halt to dumping of fill on the property Oct. 3 and the order is still in effect.

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The bond issue, which expires Dec. 15, 2002, will pay 9 3/8 per cent.

Deputy Finance Minister Gerry Bryson said the issue was authorized by the Legislature earlier this year when Hydro's borrowing powers were extended an additional $650 million.

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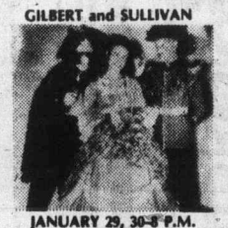

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IRA suspect's appeal blocked

ACCUSED TERRORIST McCANN LOSES FIGHT

OTTAWA (CP) — The Supreme Court of Canada has refused to hear an immigration appeal by James Kennedy, the man RCMP say is Irish terrorist James McCann.

Kennedy left Canada in September after being ordered deported, but his lawyer, Del Black of Vancouver, told the court that his client still wishes to pursue his case before the high court.

The court, however, said it would not hear the appeal because it was academic. Kennedy was gone and not likely to return and no pressing issue of national concern was involved.

Black had hoped to challenge the deportation order on the grounds that an order establishing an immigration inquiry into the Kennedy case was not proper.

RCMP arrested Kennedy last May in Vancouver and began procedures to have him deported as the terrorist McCann. Kennedy had been living in Canada for several years and operated a foreign-based investment business and had a $350,000 house in the Vancouver area.

Black said the case was badly bungled and that federal authorities never did produce any solid evidence that Kennedy was McCann.

Kennedy left Canada while the deportation order still was being fought. He told his lawyers that it was impossible to fight the authorities who were doing everything to get him out.

Black said Kennedy was in Dublin and that his wife and two Canadian-born children were living in The Netherlands.

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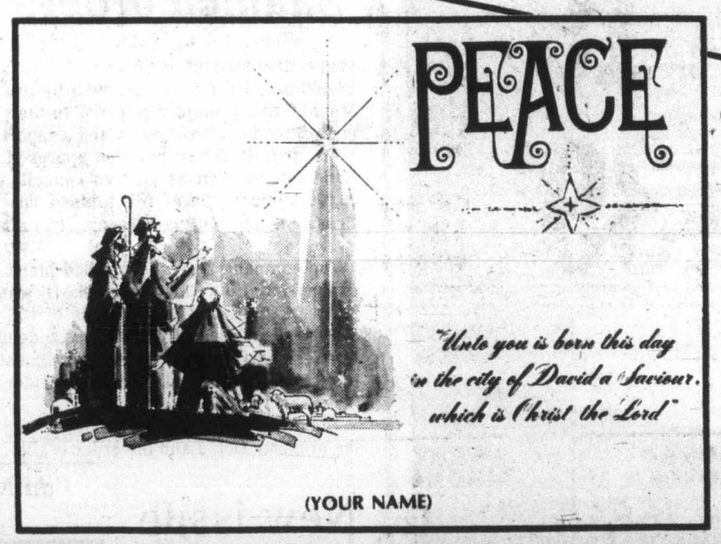

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Theft, fraud laid to prof

VANCOUVER (CP) — Julius Kane, a professor at the University of British Columbia, has been charged with theft, fraud and attempted fraud following an investigation by the RCMP's commercial crime section.

Crown Counsel A. G. Henderson said the charges allege Kane improperly employed two people to work for him on personal matters using money provided by the National Research Council for other purposes.

Kane is also accused of using $400 worth of UBC computer services for his own purposes and of purchasing $400 worth of tools with money intended to be used for research.

He is accused of hiring two students under the provincial government's student hiring program, but not retaining them for the eight-hour days he claimed, and is charged with attempted fraud in trying to obtain funds for a third student.

The charges, sworn in Richmond provincial court, relate to Kane's 1976 activities on the UBC campus.

The suspension of Kane from his duties at UBC was first reported in August by the two students—Bruce Wilson, who was employed by Kane for a three-week period, and Wilson's wife Arlene Francis. Kane has since filed a libel suit against the two.

Asbestos workers face curbs

OTTAWA (CP) — The federal anti-inflation administrator has ordered 246 hourly-paid employees of Cassiar Asbestos Corp. Ltd. at Clinton Creek, Yukon, to restrict pay raises to eight per cent and six per cent respectively in each year of a two-year pact.

Donald Tansley's legally binding ruling backs up an earlier recommendation by the Anti-Inflation Board.

Monitor maker fighting

TORONTO (CP) — Marilyn Lastman, whose company manufactures and distributes a device which warns motorists if their speed is being monitored by police radar, says she will appeal to the Supreme Court of Ontario the provincial government's decision to outlaw such devices.

Mrs. Lastman, wife of Mayor Mel Lastman of the borough of North York, said in an interview that she had had to lay off seven of the 17 assembly-line workers at her Lyntronics Ltd. plant and in January she would have to lay off some of the salesmen.

An appeal could not be made until Lt.-Gov. Pauline McGibbon gave royal assent to the legislation prohibiting the use of the devices, she said.

Mrs. Lastman said she would appeal on the grounds that the law was unconstitutional and that the airwaves were clear and free.

The device, called the Fuzzbuster, was merely a radio receiver and nothing more, she said.

"If it were a matter for anyone it would be a federal and not a provincial matter," she said.

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Quebec to opt for class suits

MONTREAL (CP) — Three hundred years after England, 100 years after the U.S. and now after all the other provinces in Canada, Quebec will have class action legislation of its own, says Social Development Minister Pierre Marois.

"We have a good record of being late," Marois said in an interview. "But from the bad we must find the good. The experience of others will be of particular help in working out our bill.

"One thing is certain: The Quebec law is one of the most modern of all existing in Canada," he said. "And it compares very well with the American law."

The law permits a person who feels he has suffered a wrong to launch legal action on behalf of all those who have suffered similarly.

Marois said the province's class action legislation, Bill 39, recently tabled in the Quebec national assembly, would have a "braking effect."

Unscrupulous businessmen who felt in the past that individuals would not take them to court for small frauds will have to be wary.

"From the moment the bill is passed, the tricksters will know the rules of the game," he said.

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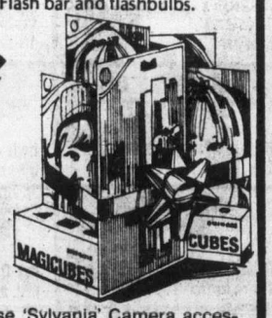
Christmas time is a family time — a time for presents, roast turkey and good cheer.
And Christmas means memories, the kind you'll want to capture and preserve with pictures.
Make those memories warmer and brighter with Sylvania's famous Blue Dot photoflash.
Magicubes, Flip Flash, Flash bar and flashbulbs.

Take some home for the holidays.



Woolco features these 'Sylvania' Camera accessories to help capture your holiday memories this year. Happy shootin!

Magicubes ..... each 2.19
Flash Cubes ..... each 1.79
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A Treasure House of Christmas Gifts

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Prices Effective While Quantities Last! Shop early for best selection!

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Twin set 15.88
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Matching sheets. Twin fitted or flat ..... each 8.46
Matching Pillow Case ..... each 2.96

'Sunbeam' Styler Dryer — 900 watts. Four styling attachments. Model HD53. ..... 16.98 each Health and Beauty Aids

Super Curl Compact — Cordless portable curler by "Gillette". . 14.49 each Health and Beauty Aids

'Old Spice' Decanters — Choose from lantern, light house, ship's bell, ship's wheel or telescope. Regular or Lime. 5.49 each Health and Beauty Aids

Ernie or Bert Rag Doll — 27" 'Sesame Street' Characters. ..... 9.77 each Toys

'Electro' Pin Ball — Floor model with ringing bells and flashing lights. Real tilt action. ..... each $25 Toys

'Eversonic' Stereo Set — AM/FM with 8-track recorder and player. Microphone and speaker included. ..... 109.95 each Cameras

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Plush Animals — Small furry animals. Ideal for stocking fillers. ..... each .99 Smoke Shop

'Calibre' Lighters — Top of the line. Beautifully engineered. Battery electronic lighter. ..... 27.95 each Smoke Shop

24 pce. Stainless Cutlery Set — Service for six in willow pattern. ..... 7.99 Set Housewares

'Brentwood' Tool Box — Deluxe medium sized with lift-out tote tray. Baked red enamel finish ..... each 13.88 each Hardware

Acrylic Swag Lamp — Large size spun plastic fixture. Several colours. Bulb included. ..... 23.88 each

Crushed Stone Kits — Easy to assemble. Many designs to choose from. ..... 4.27 each Paints

Learn-to-Draw Kit — Set includes instructions, booklet, pencils, paper and eraser ..... set 3.99 Paints

Record Hassock — Storage for records. Choose Gold, Black, Avocado or Brown. ..... 34.97 each Furniture

Lloyds Colour TV Game — Exciting electronic TV game that plays four games with up to four players. Including target and skeet shooting ... 44.88 each
AC adaptor optional: ..... each 4.99 Appliances

'Toastmaster' Oven Broiler — Popular gift idea with rotisserie and continuous clean oven. ..... 84.99 each Small Appliances

WEEK-END SUPER SPECIALS

'Illusion' Panty Hose — Comes in shades of Beige, Spice, Amber or Peach. Sizes S.M.L.XL. 2 pair 1.50 Hosiery

'Baby Scott' Disposable Diapers — Regular and super absorbent. Great savings. 1.99 pkg. Infant's Wear

Medium Cut Extra Lean Ham — Very lean and very tasty. 2.09 lb. Carry Out Foods

Mild Dutch Gouda — Mild flavour. Limited quantity of 500 pounds only. lb. 1.89 Carry Out Foods

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Town and Country Shopping Centre
Douglas Street and Saanich

Personal Shopping only, please!
Store Hours: Monday to Saturday 10 a.m. to 10 p.m.

ENJOY THE RED GRILLE FROM LIGHT SNACKS TO MEALS...

The Daily Colonist.
Wednesday, December 14, 1977
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GIRL ICED OUT

MONTREAL (CP) — A 14-year-old girl's bid to play goaltender with a boys' hockey team was rejected by Superior Court Tuesday.

Rejecting a Quebec Human Rights Commision petition on behalf of Francoise Turbide, Mr. Justice Samuel Bard noted that one of 20 girls' teams in her suburb of Notre Dame des Graces is anxious to have her play, but that she has rejected its offer.

Messages from mine union —AP

Striking member of United Mine Workers union takes stand in Chesapeake, Ohio, with banners on his van proclaiming his union's wide territory. UMW members organized caravan Tuesday to campaign for shutdown of non-union operations, in support of U.S. coal strike, now several weeks old with no sign of settlement.

Woolco
CORRECTION
Wednesday December 14 Times and Thursday December 15 Colonist the Christmas Gift Suggestions advertisement of Woolco Pharmacy. Three illustrations were incorrectly located.
The P10-Max hair dryer at 19.99 should have had the illustration shown as the Max for men at 23.99, the Pro Max at 28.99 should have had the illustration shown as the Pro-Max hair dryer at 19.99 and the Max for men at 23.99 should have had the illustration shown as Pro Max at 28.99. We apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused you.

Double escape nets jail

William Raymond Cook, 21, of Nanaimo was sentenced in Victoria county court Tuesday to two jail terms for being unlawfully at large and escaping jail last summer.

Judge M.L.T. Drake sentenced Cook to three months for being unlawfully at large from Jordan River prison camp June 26 and to six months for escaping from Wilkinson Road jail July 26 by sliding down bedsheets from a fourth-floor window from which the bars had been cut. The second sentence was made concurrent to the first.

Cook was recaptured in both cases the following day. He has a record for a number of breaking, entering and thefts. Court was told that drugs are his problem.

2-death inquest slated

Coroner Edmond Jorre de St. Jorre has announced that an inquest in the deaths of two people found in a Fort Street rooming house will start Thursday night.

The bodies of 41-year-old Gizelle Schild and 43-year-old Sandor Kormos, of different suites at 1242 Fort, were found Dec. 11 with bullet holes in their heads.

Victoria city police are still investigating the case, which has been classified as a double murder.

The opening session of the inquest, which will probably deal only with identification and medical evidence, will begin at 7:30 p.m in the small debts' court at 850 Burdett.

Judge doubts guilt

A 37-year-old man was acquitted in Victoria county court Tuesday of indecent assault on a 12-year-old girl more than a year ago in a Colwood motel.

Judge E.J.C. Stewart said, "These cases are always unpleasant and generally there is difficulty in ascertaining the facts."

He said "something may have happened" between Medin Zendel, also known as Medin Eddy Dendel, and the girl, "but I don't know what it was on the evidence presented to me." He said had he not only a reasonable doubt, "but a grave doubt."

Poverty group cut off

VANCOUVER (CP) — Federated Anti-Poverty Groups will be cut off from provincial government funding at the end of the year, Human Resources Minister William Vander Zalm said this week.

He said the group had refused to open its books to his auditors.

Grace Long, editor of the group's newsletter, said a human resources ministry auditor examined the books last summer.

"He has used books before as an excuse for cutting off funds. What he wants to cut off is the poor people's voices."

C & S THRIFTY FOODS C & S

PRICES EFFECTIVE TUES., DEC. 20 — SAT., DEC. 24, 1977

THRIFTY MEAT BUYS

FROZEN GOV'T INSPECTED TURKEYS MAPLEWOOD OR PANCO OVER 20 lb. GRADE A LB. 89¢
FROZEN GOV'T INSPECTED TURKEYS MAPLEWOOD OR PANCO 6-20 lb. GRADE A LB. 99¢
MAPLE LEAF SAUSAGE MEAT 1-lb. pkg. 89¢
CANADA GRADE 'A' BEEF ROUND STEAK ROAST (BARON) lb. 1.59
MAPLE LEAF OR BURNS DINNER HAMS BONELESS lb. 2.69
BURN'S SAUSAGE STICKS SUMMER SALAMI PEPPERONI 24-Oz. stick 1.19
DEVON SLICED SIDE BACON 1-lb. pkg. 1.39
FLETCHERS SMOKE HOUSE GARLIC SAUSAGE 1-lb ring 1.19
SNACKERY PREPARED TURKEY DRESSING 16-Oz. pkg. 79¢
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THRIFTY FOODS HAVE A COMPLETE SELECTION OF READY-TO-SERVE HAMS AT COMPETITIVE PRICES

MORE THRIFTY GROCERY BUYS

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E. D. SMITH GARDEN COCKTAIL 28-oz. BTL. 69¢
ISLAND FARMS SOUR CREAM 250 ml CTN. 49¢
MOTT'S CLAMATO JUICE 48-oz. TIN 1.19
KRAFT CHIP DIPS ASSORTED FLAVOURS 8 oz. 39¢
VEL ROSE LIQUID DETERGENT 32-Oz. BTL. 89¢
PARADISE ISLAND CHEDDAR CHEESE MATURE RANDOM WEIGHTS 10% OFF REG. PRICE
GLAD GARBAGE BAGS PKG. OF 20 99¢
ISLAND FARMS ICE CREAM ASSORTED 2-LITRE CTN. 1.69
GARDEN GATE WHOLE KERNEL CORN 2 12-oz. TINS 69¢
DELNOR—FROZEN GREEN PEAS 2-lb. bag 1.09
PLANTER'S SALTED MIXED NUTS 12.4-Oz. tin 1.79
MRS. SMITH—FROZEN APPLE PIE 24 oz. 1.19
CHRISTIE'S TRISCUIT BISCUIT 8.8-Oz. pkg. 79¢
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TANG SALAD DRESSING 32-oz. BTL. 1.09
KRAFT 1000 ISLANDS DRESSING 16-oz. BTL. 1.09
AYLMER TOMATO JUICE 48-oz. TIN 65¢
KRAFT CHEESE WHIZ 32-Oz. JAR 2.99

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CHRISTMAS STORE HOURS MON., DEC. 19 TO FRI., DEC. 23 9:00 to 9:00 SAT., DEC. 24 9:00 to 6:00
12-20

386-2121
Monday through Friday 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.
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13c per word per day
3 to 5 consecutive days
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6 consecutive days or more
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All real estate, mobile home, rental and business advertising is considered to be commercial advertising and will be charged for accordingly.

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1 or 2 days
16.5c per word per day
3 to 5 consecutive days
13.5c per word per day
6 or more consecutive days
11.5c per word per day

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14 agate lines per column inch
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746-6181

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Wherever carrier service is maintained, $4.00 per month.
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KISHKAN — Born to Dan and Linda, Dec. 15th, 1977, a boy, Jeremy Shane, 8 lbs. 13 ozs., a brother for Lisa and Kristina. Special thanks to Dr. R. W. Davidson and maternity staff at the Royal Jubilee Hospital.

DEATH and FUNERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS DIRECTLY FOLLOWING CLASSIFIED

14 ANNOUNCEMENTS

Fraternal Order of Eagles
Christmas Draw
The following numbers are winners — 13871, 4610, 9495, 13070, 48, 5335, 8633, 3470, 8659, 3319, 338, 9427, 4993, 702, 7122, 13903, 9679. Please call up the office to claim your prize, between 10 a.m. and 1:30 p.m., 751 View Street.

ASK-FOR
OUR HOLIDAY SPECIAL
2 room carpets
steam cleaned, $18
or
chesterfield cleaned $15
Limited time, 385-6273

WINNERS IN A.P.F.A. CHRISTmas Raffle, are M. Kirk, 3300 Shelbourne St., Leila Kamil, Box 790, Sooke and B. Donaldson, 4173 Thornhill Cres.

15 COMING EVENTS and MEETINGS

ATHLETICS
CHRISTMAS BINGO
Over $1500
IN PRIZES PLUS
TURKEYS
HAMS
And
Novelty Prizes
WEDNESDAY
Quadra Rec Centre
Quadra At Pandora
Early Birds
Free Coffee Donated
By Ladies

ST. JOSEPHS NEW YEAR'S EVE Dance. Plan your party and purchase tickets now, from M. Larise 477-2120 or O. Pord, 479-1551, p.m. Tickets will not be sold at the door, you must have your ticket for entry. Commissionaire in attendance. Dance held in St. Josephs Parish hall. 745 Burnside Rd. West, 9:30 p.m. to 2:30 a.m. Music by Jeff Venables Band. Catering by Goldstream Catering. Featuring Spare ribs, hot and cold smorg. Bar facilities, open at p.m. door prizes, admission, $10 per person.

ESQUIMALT LEGION
NEW YEAR'S EVE FROLIC
Dance to
"THE GATES OF TIME"
9 p.m. to 2 a.m.
Baron of Beef Dinner (12:15 a.m.)
Bar Facilities
$12.50 Per Person
Tickets Available (Limited)
at Legion

ASK-FOR
OUR HOLIDAY SPECIAL
2 room carpets
steam cleaned, $18
or
1 chesterfield cleaned $15
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LOYAL ORDER OF MOOSE December 17th Texas Mickey draw: A. Demacro, Parksville, B.C. Ticket No. 2303. Thanks to our supporters.

DON'T SIT HOME NEW YEAR' Eve. Dance to the Columbians Old Time Music. Centennial Church Hall. Hot supper, favors. 479-1216 479-8803.

BOY SCOUT CHRISTMAS TREES sale, 3?00 Glasgow St. at the Scout Hall, December 19th to 23rd, 6-9 p.m.

ENGLISH POTTERS SALE, Christmas items. December 20, 21, 22. Phone 595-8782, 1711 Denman.

BINGO, WED. AFTERNOON, 1:30 p.m. OAP Hall, 1600 Government Street.

16 CATERING, BANQUETS and RECEPTION ROOMS

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388-9191
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CATERING
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GROUPS OF 5 - FIVE THOUSAND

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3 DINING ROOMS AVAILABLE
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UP TO 150 SEATING CAPACITY
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Offer Special Rates
Christmas, All parties and weddings. At a cost of $200. Which includes the music and the full restaurant for up to 120 people. We can also give the food at a discount rate. 385-0622.

G AND Z TRADITIONAL FOODS will make your cheese and meat trays for your Christmas entertaining. We have German double smoked, Black Forrest ham, perogies and cabbage rolls, 388-5453.

BLACK PRINCE CATERING (1976) Ltd., 655 Douglas St. 388-4486. For all your catering needs in our roof top Queens Reception Room or on your premises.

20 LOST and FOUND

LOST: OSCAR ST.-FAIRFIELD St. area. Very large cat, reddish beige, new home, just neutered, still wearing yellow harness (not collar). All we want for Christmas is to get him back. Please help us find him. Substantial reward. 382-4179.

LOST: NEAR RICHMOND-OAK Bay area, last week, small purse, contents sentimental value. Reward. Please call 595-5444 or 598-7856.

LOST: SPAYED FEMALE brown striped cat, white markings, may answer to Polly, Reward. 382-4737.

LOST IN GORGE AREA, blonde female labrador, red leather collar. Answers to Christie. 383-7263, 384-8075 Pager 489.

LOST: NEAR ST. JOHN'S Church, 1 red tweed belt. 592-7484.

20 LOST and FOUND

LOST — DIAMOND ENGAGEment ring in Hudson's Bay store, Wednesday, 14th afternoon, reward. Phone 385-5344.

LOST: SMALL CURLY BLACK poodle from parked red car. City Centre Friday 4:30 p.m. "Corky" Please call 382-5754.

LOST SPAYED FEMALE CALico cat, white, orange, and grey, red flea collar, Jubilee area. Reward. 595-1389.

LOST: 2 DOGS — ONE GERMAN Shepherd, one Siberian Husky German Shepherd cross. Sidney area. Please call 656-5962, 386-6701.

LOST IN CHRISTMAS RUSH, lady's gold coloured Bulova watch in Downtown area. Reward. 388-4457, 385-8423.

LOST: CAT, MALE, MUCH loved, any possibilities, call 382-5806 evenings.

LOST: LADY'S GOLD WATCH with engraving. $5 reward. 477-9244.

LEFT AT VICTORIA REALTY, A man's pair of gold rimmed glasses. 386-3585.

LOST: TOOLS IN BROWN BAG, behind main building, Eaton's. 383-6409. Reward.

LOST: LADIES' BIEGE WALLET, important papers immediately needed. 477-5587.

21 HELP WANTED GENERAL

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MAINTENANCE WORKER
for the
PANORAMA LEISURE CENTRE
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♥ K Q J 4
♦ J 7
♣ A 7 2

WEST
♠ K J 9 8
♥ 7 5 2
♦ A K 6 4
♣ K J

EAST
♠ 4
♥ A 10 9 8
♦ 10 9 8 5 3
♣ 10 5 4

SOUTH
♠ Q 10 6 2
♥ 6 3
♦ Q 2
♣ Q 9 8 6 3

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West	North	East	South
1♦	Dbl	1♥	♠
Pass	2♠	All pass	

Opening lead King of diamonds

Today's declarer got some momentary pleasure when West offered a gratuitous sluff and ruff However, when the hand was over, declarer ruefully agreed with Billings that pleasure and happiness are entirely different breeds Rita Rand of New York City was today's tricky West and the hand was played at the Summer National Tournament in Chicago

West led the diamond king and all followed low. West continued with the ace and, when East signalled with the 10 with declarer's queen dropping, West was sure of the existing diamond distribution East would have played high-low with only two diamonds).

Nevertheless, there were no attractive shifts, and West continued with another diamond. Impulsively, declarer discarded a club from dummy and ruffed with his deuce and then played the ace and another spade! This is exactly what West had hoped for and declarer was in the soup.

West's imposing spade spots allowed her to draw all the trumps and a low diamond to East produced two more tricks. Finally, the defense established a club trick before the heart ace was played and declarer was left with only four tricks for a minus 400-point score.

Had declarer eyed his free gift more suspiciously, he could have saved some embarrassment. The trick is to ruff the diamond in dummy and establish the club suit before playing two rounds of spades

This cautious plan would still have suffered a set, but that's 200 or 300 points more happiness than a 400-point set.

Bid with Corn

South holds 12 17 B
♠ A 7 5 3
♥ K Q J 4
♦ J 7
♣ A 7 2

South	North
1♣	1♥
2♥	2 NT

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ACROSS

1 Money outlay
5 Wine area
9 Lab. chemicals
14 Writer: Abbr.
15 Plant in soil
16 Calgary Stampede, e.g.
17 Pyrotechnic device: 2 words
19 Omen of sorrow
20 ----- Flynn
21 Obstacle
23 Piece of gossip
24 Keeps in custody
27 Sat on and drove
29 Soaks
31 Field event
35 Fleshy
37 Irritates
39 Kitchen appliance
40 Andy's partner
42 Below: Poetic
44 Crested duck
45 African river
47 Sirloin, e.g.
49 Gold miner's utensil
50 Felt one's way
52 Stern
54 At a distance
56 Good names
59 Terror
62 Informal term of address
64 Driver's license, maybe: Informal
65 Finery
67 "That makes ---- '-----!"
70 Italian poet
71 Cygnus
72 Riffraff
73 Plumlike fruits
74 Set system
75 Letters

DOWN

1 Surveyed pre-crime
2 Eccentric
3 Gets under way: 3 words
4 Part of the body
5 Mountain ---
6 Behold
7 Notify
8 Indolent one
9 Biblical vessel
10 Struggles
11 Notion
12 Secluded valley
13 Filet of ----
18 More sneaky
22 Br. wool weight
25 Gas
26 Espionage agents
28 Negation: Prefix
30 Narrow strips
32 Ability
33 Part of the eye
34 Made with needle and thread
35 Snake's weapon
36 Turk. title
38 Guide a vessel
41 Disunite
43 Own
46 Ump
48 Military caps
51 Flounder
53 Most uncivil
55 Hearsay
57 Follow
58 Slender stalks
59 Temporary crazes
60 Epochal
61 It. river
63 Large knife
66 Agree to
68 "Hooey!"
69 Sooner than

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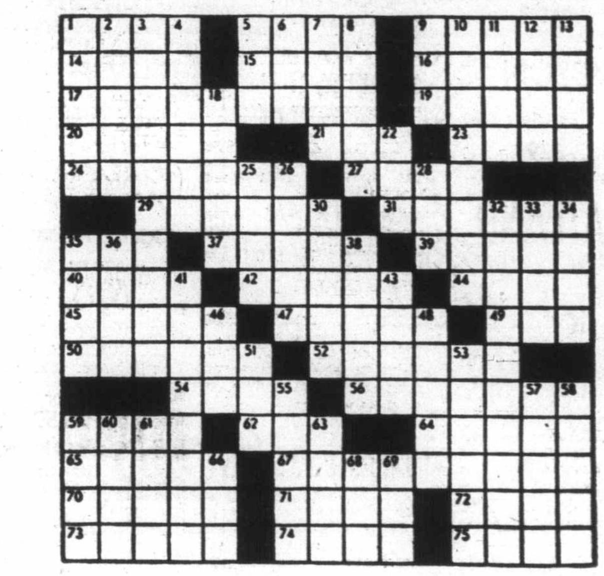

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OPEN NIGHTLY 'TIL 9: 9-PIECE Andrew Malcom dining room suite, walnut and burled walnut solid wood, semi Sheraton styling, replacement value over $5000, our special Christmas price now $1299, reduced from $2000. Financing available OAC, 90 days same as cash interest free. Victorian styling long wall clock, $199.95; loads of oak tables, chairs, fireplace companion sets, coal or log box. Victorian framed prints from under $10. Pete's Place, 786 Goldstream, 478-6000.

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Mel's BARGAINS
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OPEN NIGHTS. FINANCING available OAC with 90 days same as cash, interest free. Things are slow in December so all our prices are low. All our new container items are cost plus. Pete's Place, 15 minutes from town 10 from Woolco, 786 Goldstream. 478-6000. Chargex and Master Charge.

LEAVING TOWN. 20" ELECTROhome colour TV, 3 year warranty, like new $400. Kitchen table with extension, 4 swivel chairs $170; Recliner $100. 9x12 rug, varied autumn colours $90; Two easy chairs $30 each; 108-715 Vancouver St. (Royal Commodore), (2-8)

ADMIRAL 23 CU. FT. FREEZER, 2 years old, good condition, Midland 13-892 SSB 23 channels, 6 months old, CB plus 20' for Coax and fibreglasswhip ant. Pioneer Kp-212 cassette deck, 2 months old, best offers, 479-0446.

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New and rebuilt, 1 year warranty, Inglis, Kenmore and Whirlpool washers and dryers bought or taken in trade, working or not. R. B. Baker Appliances Ltd. 479-8264.

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Place your order for free delivery at Christmas. Call or visit Plantarium, lower Commerce Mall, next to View Parkade. 383-6222.

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20 PIECE DRAFTING SET, $50; Thistle baby carriage, $40; mantel fireplace, $225; ladies Schick hairdryer, $24.50. Mel's Bargains, 3460 Quadra, 384-3152. Chargex available.

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FOR SALE — OLD WALNUT sideboard, $350. Wooden table and chairs, $35. Double bed, $35. Older colonial chesterfield and chair, $150. For other items call Fayanne, 388-7812 before 5 p.m.

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Lada sewing machine with oak cabinet, $200. (Czechoslovakian better than Canadian); deluxe hide-a-bed, $150. 477-3008.

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AUCTIONS
Friday at 7
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1 SET OF 4 MAG RIMS, 8X15 $125; 1 double stainless sink and taps, used, $15; 1 truck snow tire 15x750, $10; 1 aluminum door storm door, 2'8x6'8", $20. 598-3201.

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OUTDOOR INCINERATOR BARrels, ready to use; free delivery, $5.95. 383-1328.

GENDRON 4X8 POOL TABLE, good shape, 2 sets of balls, $200., 384-0894.

GENERAL ELECTRIC PORTAble dishwasher, white, phone 383-0457.

LARGE 2-DOOR FRIDGE, $250; medium 1-door fridge, $150; automatic washer, $100. 477-6681.

SMALL KENMORE WASHERspin dryer, small Sunbeam vacuum cleaner, 384-3363.

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2 PART CUES
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IDEAL CHRISTMAS GIFTS: ULtra-suede coat, never worn, size 10, was $285, sell $99; misc. quality clothes, size 10-12, boy's best jackets, like new, fit ages 10-16, $10 each. 477-4160.

PORTABLE TWIN-SPIN WASHer, $125. Fridge, good condition, $100. European rug, modern design 4x3, $100. Bathroom space savers, white, $15. Wooden highchair, $10. 595-6640.

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ARC WELDER, $25; WROUGHT iron kitchen table and 4 chairs, $120; all wood bedroom suite, with inlay, $300; wringer washer, $65. Bargains galore. Bill's Bargain Barn, Tillicum and Craigflower.

POOL TABLE MAHOGANY, slate bed, 72"x42", complete accessories with ping pong top, nearest offer to $300. 592-7003 after 5.

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All staff owned AMANA microwave ovens are now being cleared.
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OPEN NIGHTLY 'TIL 9. NINE stained glass leaded windows, were $49.95 each, final clearance reduced to $9.95; old railway ruby glass beacon lamps, $19.95; Victorian gold and pltinum diamond ring, $69.95; medium large Coke mirrors, $29.95, regular $49.95; sterling silver pocket watches, Bristol glass, depression glass, many, many gift ideas at below market prices. 15 minutes from town, 10 from Woolco. Pete's Place, 786 Goldstream, 478-6000.

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NHL — NFL team caps, $5.95 your choice.
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For any bathtub, $250; Philco 9" portable TV, $80; Lloyds print-out calculator, $95; radio controlled Corvette, $25; miscellaneous jewelry, clothing, games, hand painted simulated stained glass, stick ons, etc. for Christmas presents. 477-2739.

POTTERY COURSES
starting February. Register now. Island Craft Supply Ltd., 2506 Douglas St. (Douglas at Bay St.), 384-0421.

SPECIAL 26" ADMIRAL COLOUR TV, $215; oak chairs, $20 each; large mirrored mahogany dresser, $230; 3-piece gold sectional chesterfield suite, $125; green davenport, $30. Just opened, Bill's Bargain Barn, Tillicum and Craigflower.

LAST MINUTE CHRISTMAS shopping? Give something special!! Windsurfers, wind buggies and wind surfing posters. Windjammer Rec. Prod. Inc., 1309 Blanshard St. Phone 383-4211.

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BIG JIM SKI RUN, AS NEW, $10. Boys skates, size 1, $5. 3 tier imitation wedding cake, yellow and white, for pictures, $30. 477-5443.

STEEL GARAGE DOOR AND hardware, 6'4" x 8', 2 Toyota truck rims, older fridge, and Apollo 10 speed bike, 388-7779.

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These extra large apartments are equipped with deluxe appliances, quality wall-to-wall carpeting with color co-ordinated drapes and even covered parking. A must-see building in a park-like setting.

WHITECAP MANOR
343 Simcoe
Another brand new apartment building on a very quiet street only 2 blocks from the ocean and 2 blocks from the James Bay shopping mall. Large, bright bachelors and one BR suites with deluxe kitchens and large balconies. Some of the suites even have ocean views. Other features of this building are a live-in caretaker, elevator, controlled entrances, deluxe appliances, all drapes and quality wall-to-wall carpets plus underground parking.

THE DONNEGAL
2533 Dowler Place
New large one and two-bedroom apts. just a few minutes from the centre of town. Quality appliances, drapes and carpeting are featured in this controlled-entrance elevator building. A super convenient place to live.

Prince Albert Manor
1025 Kings Road
Bach., 1-bedroom. This new building has LARGE suites with wall-to-wall carpeting, good closet space, drapes, controlled entrance and elevator. Seconds away from stores and buses and is located on a quiet street.

THE TREE HOUSE
1229 Pandora
A brand new, unusually designed apt. building has just been opened. The suites, bachelors and one BR are far from the normal apartments. The builder should really win some type of an award for the basic design of the building and the most attractive floor plans and the color co-ordination inside the suites themselves. Only 7 blocks from the centre of the city and so close to all other necessary amenities. A must see building.

Queenston Manor
1017 Queens
There are only a few bachelor units left in this new elevator building so hurry. These large suites have all drapes, appliances and quality wall-to-wall carpets and also a real helpful live-in manager. Even the parking is included in the reasonable rent. You can't afford not to visit this building.

DUNDAS MANOR
404 Dundas
A quiet building in a quiet area. Large one-bedroom apartments and from your balcony see the Inner Harbour. This elevator, controlled entrance building is just minutes from downtown and all shopping.
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MCKENZIE WOOD
Bachelor, $190; 1 and 2 bedroom deluxe apts., some available now $207-$280. Security plus privacy. Dickie Agencies Ltd. 382-4312, eves. 477-4662.

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ESQUIMALT, ONE BEDROOM, heat, water, and cablevision included, $179. Phone 478-3854 or 383-0970.

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CITY CENTRE
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One and two-bedroom suites, Esquimalt, from $170, heat included. Children welcome. Phone 388-6474, between 9 and 4, Monday to Friday.

DELUXE, BRIGHT 1-BEDROOM corner suite on main floor in clean quiet modern block. Close to town and parliament buildings, quiet refined adults preferred. Sorry no children or pets, owner manager, available Feb. 1st. $204. 477-6448.

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AQUARIUS APARTMENTS James Bay area. To rent January 1st. Modern 2-bedroom suite at $270. Mature persons only. No children or pets. Phone 384-7627 or 595-6978.

Village Manor

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1 BDRM., $186.50

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ONE BEDROOM APARTMENT, quiet block, available anytime after 16th, older tenant preferred. 1249 Fort Street, phone 383-6554 after 5 p.m.

COLUMBIA APARTMENTS, 850 Admirals Rd. Large one bedroom suite available immediately. One child welcome. 382-5811 and 388-7651.

AVAILABLE JANUARY 1ST, 2-bedroom with den, wall-to-wall carpets, drapes, $325. Fort St. area, adults only. No pets. 595-5749.

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1-bedroom in triplex, $180 per month. Pets considered. Close to park. To view call 382-3721.

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$177 Per Month

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Bachelor suites in older home. Rents reasonable.

920 HILLSIDE
Quiet clean 1 bedrm. apts available January 1st., $189. 383-1447.

Colwood, nice, 3-bedroom townhouse $325.

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Upper and lower duplex 2 bedrm character suite, fireplace, stove, and fridge.
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$185

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Seagate, 707 Esquimalt Road, on Victoria's Harbour Waterfront with a very large indoor heated swimming pool and hydro therapy pool. Mature adults only, no pets. Available Jan. 1. Large 2-bedroom corner suite, $260. Includes heat and cablevision. Resident Manager 383-1731 or 388-6100. Diamond Developments Ltd.

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1350 Stanley Ave. between Fort and Pandora. One bedroom suites from $199. One bachelor $180. For appointment call 595-4128.

$217.70 — OAKMOUNT COURT, 1341 Hillside Ave. Newly redecorated large 2 bedroom suite, heat included. Avail. immed. Please call 384-1622 or 385-8771 or contact Brown Bros. Agencies, 1125 Blanshard.

ONE BEDROOM SUITES AVAILABLE January 1st, price range $189-$200. Rent includes heat and cablevision. No children, no pets. Contact manager at 217-1300 Yates Street between 9 a.m. and 8 p.m., 382-2845.

$220.

Large 2 bedroom, small block, 741 Admirals Rd. Heat, parking included. Child welcome. 385-0795 or Ste. No. 1.

ESQUIMALT — 1-BEDROOM apartment near shops and park, $121, suit businesswoman or retired lady. Call 383-8235 evenings. Available January 1st.

QUADRA: SPACIOUS 1-BED room suite, water, heat, and cable vision included, $169. Phone afte 6, 382-8851.

AVAILABLE JANUARY 1ST, $182; large 1-bedroom suite, heat, cable, drapes included, no pets. 383-4880.

BRIGHT CORNER 1 BEDROOM and bachelor. Near Fernwood-Denman. 382-2902 anytime.

JUBILEE AREA — 2 BEDROOM basement. No dogs. Hydro included. $185. 477-7150.

GORGE CLOSE TO TOWN
Large one bedroom. Quiet adult, $150. Evenings 382-4360.

UNIQUE BACHELOR, $175 PER month. Available immediately. Call to view, 385-9774.

2-BEDROOM BASEMENT APARTMENT, Vic West area, available now. 382-0889.

1 BEDROOM SUITE, WATER, heat and cablevision included. Close to town, $175-$185. 382-5888.

2-BEDROOM SUITE, STOVE AND fridge, $175. Hillside and Quadra 383-6731.

BASEMENT SUITE FOR RENT, $175. 479-9425.

200 APARTMENTS TO RENT UNFURNISHED

THE HORIZONS
1 bedroom suite, main floor, available immediately $215; 1 bedroom, fourth floor, $230, January 1st. WW carpets, drapes, colored appliances, cable, heat, water and parking included. Sorry no children or pets. Apply Resident Manager, 1576 Midgard Ave., or phone 477-9489.

AQUARIUS APARTMENTS
James Bay area, to rent January 1st one bachelor $165, one bedroom $200, two bedroom $270, in a clean, modern apartment. Wall-to-wall carpets, drapes, cablevision included. Mature persons only, no children or pets. 384-7627 or 595-6978 evenings.

BRIGHT TOP CORNER TWO bedroom, quiet location in James Bay, available January 15, $250. Includes heat, hot water, parking, wall to wall, drapes, fridge, and stove, controlled entrance, laundry facilities available. Mature adults only, no pets. References. Phone 385-8081, 9-5 p.m.

AVAILABLE IMMEDIATELY 1½ year old two bedroom masonette, wall-to-wall carpeting throughout, stove, fridge, washer and dryer. Could be partly furnished if desired. 479-9274 after 5 p.m.

BAY — COOK ST., CHARMING clean spacious bachelor suite, with Murphy bed, Fridge, stove, heat, water, parking included. Quiet mature person, $170. 382-5240.

$165 — CLEAN
Cozy bachelor suite, sunny exposure. Older renovated small block. Includes heat and laundry facilities. Near Fort and St. Charles. 598-1145. Loiselle Bros.

1 BEDROOM APARTMENT available, $175. 382-9879. Hillside and Quadra.

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1 BEDROOM SUITE, 869 ESQUImalt Road. Available Jan. 1st, 382-3469.

1-BEDROOM SUITE, WALL TO wall, Esquimalt, $165. Phone 479-8072.

1-BEDROOM APARTMENT, $124 per month, near Naden; married couple. 383-9857.

BACHELOR SUITE AVAILABLE, Cook St. $79 per month. Call Royal Trust, 388-4311.

VERY WARM COZY SUITE FOR rent. $215. Inclusive rent. Two fireplaces. 595-4384, 4-603 Trutch St.

201 APARTMENTS TO RENT FURNISHED

NEW

Near Downtown

Includes dishes, linen, color TV, radio, underground parking, elevator. Near bus, no steps, studio bachelor suite, $85 weekly or $250-$260 monthly. 1 bedroom suite, $325 per month. 2 bedroom suite, $405 per month. Hartnell House, 1204 Yates.
383-0742 or 386-2812

DELUXE 1-BEDROOM AND bachelor suites, fully furnished, including color TV, dishwasher, sauna, swirl pool, and rec. room, maid service, queen or twin bed, separate balcony, by week or month, Ocean Manor, 2930 Washington. 388-7818.

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MAPLE LEAF INN
120 Gorge Rd. East, 388-9901. Furnished bachelor unit — complete kitchen, phone, color cablevision, sauna, laundromat, maid service weekly, no pets. Special rates for senior citizens and students. Rent by the week or month.

DE LUXE ACCOMMODATION. Furnished bachelor and 1 bedroom suites. Maid service, answering service. Indoor heated pool, cocktail lounge, saunas, coffee shop, dining room, laundry, colored cable TV. "No pets." Coachman Inn, 229 Gorge Rd. E. Phone 388-6611.

DE LUXE ACCOMMODATION. Furnished bachelor and 1-bedroom suites. Colored TV, dining room, laundry, indoor pool, hydro pool, saunas, lounge, maid service answering service. No pets. Canterbury Inn, 310 Gorge Road. Phone 382-2151.

CRAIGFLOWER MOTEL
On Gorge Waterway, offers deluxe bachelor and 1-bedroom suites at special winter rates. All the comforts of home. Completely furnished with maid service, and laundromat on premises. Call 388-7861.

AVAILABLE NOW
Esquimalt, close in — 4½ rm. (2 bdr.) ground floor spacious apt. — with main furniture, heat, H. water, cable, parking, $214. Dickie Agencies, 919 Fort, 382-4312. (sorry no pets).

DELUXE SELF-CONTAINED rooms, double, queen size beds, kitchen, fully equipped with bath, shower. Low daily, weekly, monthly rates. Daffodil Inn, 680 Garbally, behind Firestone Store. 386-8351.

AVAILABLE NOW
Esquimalt, close in — lovely 3½-room (1 bedroom) view apt., with main furniture, etc., w-w carpet, heat, hot water, cable, parking (laundry avail.), $195. Dickie Agencies, 919 Fort, 382-4312.

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For 1 week, on 2 month rental. Apartment in quality motel, pool, sauna, jaccuzi, phone, colour TV. 388-6431.

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WOMAN TO SHARE HUGE OAK Bay apartment with woman 28, fireplace, private bedroom $113. 595-2478.

THUNDERBIRD MOTEL, ENtrance Beacon Hill Park, near downtown, reasonable off-season rates. 384-0632.

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Three Rooms from
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204 SHARED ACCOMMODATIONS

THREE SPACIOUS BEAUTIFUL rooms for rent in large character house, located on the beach, full use of facilities; would suit older, responsible working type or employed young adults or couple; immediate occupancy, references required. Please call for appointment to view premises at 598-4429 after 11 a.m.

ROOM FOR RENT IN NEW 3 bedroom home, Gordon Head on Bus route close to UVic, $125 monthly. Call 383-9508 or 721-3303.

WANTED PERSON TO SHARE large three-bedroom house in View Royal. Everything included, $150. 479-8445, 5 p.m.-8.

PERSON WANTED IN LARGE house, $100. Jubilee area. Immediately. 595-1897.

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WANTED: PERSON TO SHARE 2-bedroom home on waterfront. 656-4987.

206 DUPLEXES TO RENT

SOUTH FAIRFIELD
Avalable February 1st, lovely 3 BR main floor suite, wall to wall, fireplace, sundeck, parking and full basement. $350 per month. References required. Call:
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2084 TOWNLEY
Immaculate 2-bedroom side-by-side duplex. Spacious, living area, fireplace, 4 appliances, carpeted throughout. Full basement with garage. Close to bus, schools, shops, park, UVic and Rec Centre. $375. 385-7232 or 592-2939 evenings and weekends.

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MODERN LARGE DUPLEX, 2 spacious bedrooms with den, living room with fireplace, all utilities included. On quiet street, close to schools, park, bus annd rec center. 1 child and 1 pet welcome. $375. Immediate possesion. 384-5351 after 6 p.m.

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$296. NEW 3-BEDROOM, 1½ bathrooms, wall-to-wall carpeting, sundeck, carport, near Colwood Elementary School. All major (avocado) appliances available, plus other options. Phone 478-9646 before December 21st.

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Near new 2 bedrooms with laundry and rec. room, electric heat with major appliances and wall-to-wall carpeting. Rent $300 per mo. 592-1331 after 6 p.m.

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AVAILABLE IMMEDIATELY two bedroom back-to-back duplex in Bay Street area. Close to school. $225 per month plus utilities. References required. 477-6239 after 2 p.m.

LAMPSON AREA — AVAILABLE now. Executive type L-shaped duplex, 4 bedrooms, 2 family rooms, 2 bathrooms, 2 fireplaces, dishwasher, large yard and tool shed. $425. 474-2858.

ESQUIMALT WATERFRONT DUplex, 3-bedroom, wall-to-wall carpeting, fenced yard, children welcome. No pets. $325. Available January 1st. 478-6092.

LANGFORD — LARGE 3 BEDroom, wall to wall, 1½ baths, fridge, stove, $300. Jan. 1. 474-2429 before 9:30 or 438-8569, Vancouver collect.

JAMES BAY, MACDONALD park: Large 3 bedrooms, decorated, character side duplex, responsible couple wanted; references. $269. 598-4060 evenings.

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CLOSE TO CENTRAL PARK. Modern 2-bedroom, lower duplex, heat and hot water included, children accepted, $270. 1252 Pembroke. 382-3286.

METCHOSIN: MODERN 1-BEDroom basement suite, wall-to-wall carpets with fireplace, all utilities included. Available Jan. 1st, $225. 478-7792.

SIDNEY, THREE-BEDROOM, 1½ bathrooms, wall-to-wall carpet range and fridge, redecorated, available January 1st, $300 monthly. 656-2040.

3 BEDROOM MAIN FLOOR older character house, basement and garden. January 1st or 15th Rent includes utilities. 479-0438.

JUBILEE, TWO BEDROOM MAIN floor, fridge, stove, washer, dryer, very clean, close to schools and stores, $300, 382-6633.

UPPER DUPLEX FOR RENT, Fernwood area, wall-to-wall carpets, balcony, nicely renovated. $250 inclusive. 478-2645 after 5.

FAIRFIELD, 2-BEDROOM upper, fridge, stove, carpeted, heat and hot waer included. $275. 388-4678.

JUBILEE AREA: 2 BEDROOM basement suite, heat, fridge, stove and utilities included, $245. Jan. 1. 598-7219.

2 BR DUPLEX WITH INLAW suite. Newly decorated, $375 per mo. Close to Town and Country. 479-4634, Amblewood Dev.

BASEMENT SUITE FOR RENT, stove and fridge included, corner Cook and Empress Ave. $125 per month, avalable Jan. 1st. 477-2531.

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SIDNEY. 3-BEDROOM DUPLEX, children and pets are welcome, in good neighbourhood, $325 per month. 652-3618.

2 BEDROOM FULL BASEMENT, stove and fridge included, close to Pemberton Park. Available Jan. 1st. 598-7389 after 6.

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ONE SIDE OF MODERN DUplex for rent. Close to all services, available now. 479-2788.

LARGE UPPER 3-BEDROOMS, self-contained. $238. Phone 382-4067.

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DUPLEX AVAILABLE IMMEDIately, one side, $325 per month. Godlstream Park District. 478-6156.

OAK BAY DUPLEX, 3 BEDroom, 2 full baths, rumpus room, $375 monthly. Phone Ken, 592-6225.

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2 DUPLEXES FOR RENT. Phelps Rd. 3 bedrooms, each $355 per month. Phone 595-5339.

206 DUPLEXES TO RENT

5 BEDROOM SIDE BY SIDE DUplex, double plumbing, automatic heat. $300 per month. 383-8054 Quadra-Hillside area.

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210 HOUSES TO RENT UNFURNISHED

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SIDNEY
Spacious family home, close to beach, 4 bdrms., rec. rm., 2 F.P.'s, large fenced yard, FR. & ST., Immaculate, $400 p/m.

SIDNEY
3-bdrm home $275 pm, includes fridge and stove. Available Dec. 31.

OAK BAY
2-bdrm., f.p., close to Rec. Centre. Avail. Jan. 1. $331.80.

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NEW 3-bdrm house on 3 acres with 3-stall barn in Mill Bay avail. immediately at $400 pm plus utilities.

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2-bdrm. home with f.p., large kitchen and fenced yard. $365 p.m. Includes fridge and stove. Available Jan. 1.

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Rockland Immaculate, 3-brm. townhouse, FP., 2½ baths. 7 appliances, double parking. Avail. now

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Townhouse of 4½ rms., plus basement, with D.I. garage — laundry wired for W and D, also rumpus. Plumbing includes 4 pce. bath, plus extra toilet and vanity and wash basin in the master bdrm., $330, includes heat and water, elect. fridg. and range, rugs, drapes. Some children's furniture. Dickie Agencies, 919 Fort, 382-4312, eves. 477-4662.

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Main floor plus downstairs storage and laundry room, responsible tenants that will appreciate this immaculate newer family home close to the sea, 3 bedrooms, living and dining room with fireplace, large kitchen and bathroom. Wall-to-wall throughout, $395 month. 595-7096. References please.

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SMALL 3-BEDROOM, 1117 CALEdonia, $275 per month. Phone 479-1393.

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$250. SOOKE, COMFORTABLE 3 bedroom, full basement, fireplace. Available now. 384-0857.

UNIVERSITY AREA HOUSE FOR rent, 3 bedroom, full basement. $600 per month, 598-3446.

3-BEDROOM HOUSE TO RENT. From January 1. Rent $345. 382-8310.

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GLEN LAKE WATERFRONT. 3-bedroom home on treed lot, den or possible 4th bedroom, close to schools, built-in vacuum system, intercom, large stone fireplace and other features. Stove, fridge and drapes included. $450 per month lease required. Call Royal Trust, 388-4311.

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GORGE VIEW, 3 BDRM, 1½ bath executive townhouse — all appliances included. Quiet street, fully broadloomed, fireplace, sunken livingroom, fenced garden. $475 per month. Available now. 388-5471. Concord.

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Two-bedroom full basement home with large rec room. Wall-wall carpet, fireplace, fridge and stove, etc. Nice area, $305. Jan. 1st. 652-4368.

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3-bedroom with fireplace, dining room, wall-to-wall, laundry room, extra large separate garage, available immediately, 478-3606, 478-7361.

COMFORTABLE MODERN 3 BR house near Sooke. Available immediately for approximately 6 months at a reasonable rent. JAY HINTON 652-1364 or 592-2431. Lansdowne Properties.

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Modern 3-bedroom home to rent with option to purchase, available end of Dec. or sooner. No pets. References required. $340 monthly. Call 479-3394.

COMFORTABLE OLDER HOME, Gorge area. No appliances. Pet and children welcome, $275. References. View at 2817 Dysart, phone 386-2654.

THREE-BEDROOM 1500 SQ. FT. totally private luxury townhouse. Parking at door in attached carport, has to be seen. $400 per month, 592-0662 to view.

RENT WITH OPTION — A NICE family home in good area, many amenities, rental from $425 per month or will sell for $1000 down, cash or trade? 478-5550.

SOUTH OAK BAY, 3-BEDROOM, 2-storey house, wall-to-wall, living room, fireplace, fridge and stove, TV room, $325 per month, plus utilities. 595-1453 anytime.

2-BEDROOM HOUSE, AND large workshop, in Cobble Hill, 7 miles south of Duncan, $200 per month, 478-6042, 383-8996.

LANGFORD, 2854 LEIGH RD., one-bedroom, available January 1st. $160 per month. Phone 384-8105 or 478-5946.

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3 BEDROOMS. $375. AVAILABLE now, 6 months term. Two bathrooms and wall-to-wall. High Quadra. 479-3527.

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3 BEDROOM HOME FOR RENT available from Jan. 1st. Phone 385-4908 or 384-1539, after 4.

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3-BEDROOM MAIN FLOOR OR 2-bedroom basement suite, Langford, no pets. 478-8985 or 478-3322.

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211 HOUSES TO RENT FURNISHED

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212 HOUSES WANTED TO RENT

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Deaths and funerals

305 DEATHS and FUNERALS

AMOS — In Victoria on December 18, 1977, Doris Ogden Amos, aged 78 years, born in Liverpool, England, and a resident here since 1935. Widow of Stephen S. Amos, she leaves her son and daughter-in-law, James and Andrea Amos of Victoria; three grandsons, Stephen, Ronald and Jamey; also one sister, Florence Purcell of Victoria.
Funeral service in McCall Bros. floral chapel, Johnson and Vancouver Sts., on Wednesday, December 21, at 1 p.m. Interment at Royal Oak Burial Park.

BARKER — At Victoria General Hospital on December 17th, 1977, Mary Ann Barker, age 77, late residence, 802 Herewood Rd. Predeceased by her husband, George in 1961 and her daughter, Rita Rosenberg in 1962. Survived by four sons, Fred, George, Donald and Reginald; three daughters, Mrs. D. (Evelyn) Kochems, Mrs. R. (Kathleen) Bell and Mrs. F. (Shirley) George; two brothers, Moses and Francis; 38 grandchildren; 19 great grandchildren; several nieces and nephews, and her longtime friend, Henry Lustig.
Prayers will be offered in the Sands Mortuary Ltd., Memorial Chapel of Chimes, on Wednesday, December 21, 1977, at 7 p.m. Mass will be celebrated in Our Lady Queen of Peace Church, 849 Old Esquimalt Rd., on Thursday, December 22, 1977, at 10 a.m., Rev. Father Michael J. McNamara celebrant. Interment at the Hatley Memorial Gardens.
SANDS — VICTORIA

BURGESS — Robert Joseph, suddenly in Victoria on December 19, 1977, born in Invermay, Saskatchewan, aged 57 years, in recent years of 2880 Ilene Terrace, beloved husband of Betty M. Burgess and cherished father of Robin and Laurel and son-in-law, Bruce Saunders. He also leaves his sister, Margaret Baldwin of Winnipeg, Manitoba, brother William of Regina, Saskatchewan; several nieces and nephews. He served, for 23 years, with the R.C.N. retiring as C.P.O. in 1966.
Memorial service at the Metropolitan Church Chapel, Pandora and Quadra, on Thursday, December 22 at 2:00 p.m. with the Rev. Dr. A. E. King officiating. (Flowers are declined with thanks. Donations may be made to the Heart Fund, 1008 Blanshard St., if desired.) McCall's.

CLAMP — In Victoria, B.C., on December 19, 1977, Mr. Rex Clamp, aged 71 years, born in Wassal, England, late residence, 1-1145 Fairfield Rd., formerly of Calgary, Alta. He leaves his wife, Georgina, at home; three sons, four daughters, 10 grandchildren and one great-grandson.
Service in the Sands Mortuary Ltd., Family Chapel of Memories, on Wednesday, December 21, 1977, at 10:30 a.m., Rev. Ken Strom officiating. Interment at the Royal Oak Burial Park.
SANDS - VICTORIA

CORNWALL — Passed away in West Vancouver, B.C., December 19, 1977, Evelyn Beatrice Cornwall, widow of Col. James K. Cornwall, formerly of Victoria and Edmonton. Survived by two daughters, Mrs. G. F. W. (Peace) Hudson, Mrs. V. Albert (Norah) Pollard; four grandchildren, four great-grandchildren.
Prayers Wednesday, December 21 at 7:30 p.m. in St. Anthony's Church, 2337 Inglewood Ave., West Vancouver, where funeral mass will be celebrated Thursday, December 22, at 10 a.m. by Rt. Rev. J. E. Brown. Interment Capilano View Cemetery. In lieu of flowers donations to C.A.R.S. would be appreciated. Kearney Funeral Directors, Vancouver.

COWDEN — Suddenly at the residence, 1725A Feltham Rd., on December 19, 1977, Mrs. Marion Downes Percival Cowden, aged 61 years, born in Vancouver and resident in Victoria for 6 years, well known as a concert pianist and school teacher. She is survived by her husband William; two sons, Keith of Abbotsford and Niven of Prince George; six grandchildren.
MASS will be celebrated in the Queen of Peace Church, Old Esquimalt Rd., on Thursday, December 22 at 1:00 p.m. with the Rev. M. J. McNamara Celebrant. Interment at Royal Oak Burial Park. McCall Bros. Funeral Directors in charge of arrangements.

DAWSON — In Victoria on December 18, 1977, Selina Dawson, aged 93 years, of 3015 Dean Ave. Born in Yorkshire, England, and a resident of Victoria since 1912. Widow of Edward Dawson, she leaves a daughter and son-in-law, Joan and Howard East, and daughter, Olive Meadley of Victoria; grandson and his wife, Edward and Nancy Meadley; granddaughter and her husband, Maureen and William Dodd, and other relatives in England.
Funeral service in the family chapel of McCall Bros. on Wednesday, December 21 at 2 p.m., with the Rev. N. Archer officiating. Interment at Royal Oak Burial Park.

DeBORHY — On December 19, 1977, at Victoria General Hospital, Mr. Nicholas George DeBorhy, aged 82 years, late of 957 Convent Place. A resident of Victoria since 1957, Mr. DeBorhy was a Knight of Malta and is survived by relatives and friends throughout the world.
Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, December 21st, in St. Anddrew's Cathedral, Blanshard at View. Interment will be in Royal Oak Burial Park. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the B.C. Heart Fund, 1008 Blanshard St. Haywards Thomson & Irving in care of arrangements.

DIKKEN — Dirk Jan, in Sidney, B.C., on December 20, 1977. Born in Holland, age 70 years. Survived by his loving wife, Gerrie; a son, John; three daughters, Minnie, Helga and Gerrie; 10 grandchildren, also relatives in Holland.
Funeral Friday, December 23 at 11 a.m. in Chapel of First Memorial, 4725 Falaise Dr. Interment in Royal Oak Cemetery. Arrangements by FIRST MEMORIAL SERVICES LTD.

FORREST — Margaret Amy of Shawnigan Lake, formerly of Abbotsford, passed away on December 18, 1977. Survived by two sons, John of Crofton and Jim of Nanaimo; also six grandchildren and one great-grandchild.
Private cremation. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Cancer Society. Arrangements through the Memorial Society of B.C. and First Memorial Services Ltd., Nanaimo.

GRAHAM—MARR — On December 18, 1977, unexpectedly in hospital, Anita Gray, dearly beloved only child of Mr. and Mrs. A. Watson Somerville of Craigmillar Park, Edinburgh, Scotland and adored wife and mother of Dr. Hugh Alexander and Alastair John Graham-Marr of 3410 Woodburn Ave., Victoria, B.C.
Memorial service will be held at the Royal Jubilee Hospital Chapel on Thursday, Dec. 22 at 3:30 p.m. (Flowers gratefully declined. Donations, if desired, may be made to the Cancer Fund, 857 Caledonia Ave.). McCall's.

HAYWARD — In Victoria on December 16, 1977, Harry Maurice Hayward, in his 74th year, of 2548 Dunlevy St., born in Bournemouth, England, a resident of Victoria for 69 years. He is survived by his loving wife, Rita; daughter and son-in-law, Shelagh and Don Johnson of Port Alberni; also nephews and nieces.
Funeral service in McCall Bros chapel, Johnson and Vancouver Sts., on Wednesday, December 21, at 3:30 p.m., with Col. John Nelson officiating. (No flowers by request.)

LORIMER — In Victoria, B.C. after a lengthy illness, Mrs. Elsie Lorimer, age 83 years. Born in Aberdeen, Scotland, late residence 63 Gorge Road. She leaves her son, James G. Carson, Palm Springs, California, two grandchildren, three great-grandchildren.
Service in the Sands Mortuary Limited "Memorial Chapel of Chimes" on Thursday, December 22nd, 1977 at 1:00 p.m. Rev. B. J. Molloy officiating. Cremation.
SANDS—VICTORIA

305 DEATHS and FUNERALS

MINNS—Suddenly in Vancouver on December 16, 1977, Mr. Frank Hogarth Minns, aged 65 years, of 1040 Fort St., Victoria. He is survived by his daughter, Mrs. Marcia Manning of London, England; his granddaughter, Wendy, and grandson, Ian; a sister, Mrs. Ruth Burke, in Australia, and Helga Past and her children, Angela, Heitl and Steven, and his friend Jean. He was well known as an antique dealer, a member of the Oak Bay Rotary Club, and a past president of Sanscha, being instrumental in the building of Sanscha Hall in Sidney.
Funeral service will be held on Thursday, December 22, at 1:30 p.m. in St. Philip's Church, 2978 Eastdowne, with the Reverend Neil Robinson officiating. McCall Bros. Funeral Directors in charge of arrangements.

STRUIK, Jim — Unexpectedly in Sidney, B.C., on December 17, 1977. Born in Regina, Sask., age 23 years. Survived by his loving parents, Anna and Bert; three brothers, Rudy, Bert (sister-in-law Anne) and Neil; his sister, Angela; also Merna and Andrea and many friends.
Graveside service on Friday, December 23 at 1 p.m. in Hatley Memorial Gardens. Colwood, Father Leo Roberts officiating. Arrangements by FIRST MEMORIAL SERVICES LTD.

SUDDABY — In Vancouver on December 19, 1977, Winfred Irene, beloved wife of Fred Suddaby of Sidney, B.C. Survived also by one son, Kenneth Roy Suddaby, Victoria, and two grandchildren; two brothers, Jack Rowbottom, Marshall, Sask., and Edward Rowbottom, Sidney, B.C.
Private family cremation was held. In lieu of flowers donations to the Arbutus Solarium would be appreciated. Arrangements through the Memorial Society of B.C. and FIRST MEMORIAL SERVICES LTD.

WATSON — Jessie Burton, last surviving child of E. G. and Suzette Prior and grandchild of John Work, on 16th December, widow of James Watson, late of Hedon, Yorkshire. Born in Victoria 1894. Survived by her daughters Mrs. Rupert Alex — Smith (Suzette) "Winestead", Hull, Yorkshire, and Mrs. David Rae-Smith (Johnny) of Edenbridge, Kent, England.

ZUK — On December 17, 1977, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Julia Zuk, aged 66 years, of 3265 Albion St., born in Latvia. She is survived by her loving husband, Mikolai (Nick) at the residence, sisters and brothers.
Prayers will be offered in McCall Bros. floral chapel, Johnson and Vancouver Sts., on Tuesday, December 20, at 7:30 p.m. Mass will be celebrated in Sacred Heart Church, 4040 Nelthorpe Rd. on Wednesday, December 21 at 10 a.m., with the Rev. A. Kwarta celebrant. Interment at Royal Oak Burial Park.

308A CARD OF THANKS

The families of the late Myrtle A. Filleul, 1211 Oscar St., Victoria wish to express their thanks for the many acts of kindness shown to them during the loss of their beloved mother and grandmother and for the many beautiful cards, floral arrangements and donations to the cancer fund. A special thanks to Dr. A. G. Grey, nurses of the 2nd floor Richmond Pavilion, Dr. H. W. Kerley, Rev. J. R. Allan, soloist Alice Waddell, Pallbearers and Sands Funeral Home.
—The Irwin family, The Filleul family and The Kilesinger family.

Gertrude Cohen 1117 Faithful St. wishes to thank all friends for their kindness extended to her during her stay in hospital. Get well cards, gifts, flowers, etc., are all much appreciated. She and Agnes Reid wish all their friends a Happy Christmas. —Shalom—.

Heartfelt thanks are extended to all who sent flowers and messages of sympathy, in the loss of our beloved Bernice. — Katie McKelvie and Don.

309 IN MEMORIAM

DAY — In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Ralph Day, formerly of 1495 Ryan Street. Passed away on Hornby Island, Dec. 20, 1976.
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MULLIN — In loving memory of my dear wife Mary who passed away Dec. 21, 1972. Gone but not forgotten. — Glen Mullin.

THEY SHALL GROW NOT OLD AS WE WHO ARE LEFT GROW OLD, AGE SHALL NOT WEARY THEM, NOR THE YEARS CONDEMN. AT THE GOING DOWN OF THE SUN, AND IN THE MORNING, WE WILL REMEMBER THEM.
WITH GRATITUDE. SANDS

310 FUNERAL DIRECTORS

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ZUK, Mrs. Julia
PRAYERS
7:30 p.m.—FLORAL CHAPEL
WEDNESDAY
ZUK, Mrs. Julia
MASS
10:00 a.m.—SACRED HEART CHURCH
AMOS, Mrs. Doris O.
1:00 p.m.—FLORAL CHAPEL
DAWSON, Mrs. Selina
2:00 p.m.—FAMILY CHAPEL
HAYWARD, Mr. Harry Maurice
3:30 p.m.—FLORAL CHAPEL
THURSDAY
MINNS, Mr. Frank Hogarth
1:30 p.m.—ST. PHILIP'S CHURCH
OLIPHANT, Mr. Percy Claude
1:30 p.m.—FAMILY CHAPEL
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Town of Sidney
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I, GORDON A. BROWN, of 1125 Blanshard Street, Victoria, British Columbia, hereby give notice that:
1. I was appointed the Receiver of Strata Lots 1 to 35 inclusive of Lots 1151, 1152, 1153 and 1154, Victoria City, Strata Plan 365 of HATLEY Holdings Ltd., on the 28th day of November, 1977.
2. The instrument under which I was appointed is a Court Order granted by His Honour Judge Campbell, a Local Judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, Vancouver Registry, on Monday, the 28th day of November, 1977.
DATED the 2nd day of December, 1977.
GORDON A. BROWN
RECEIVER

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IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF DOROTHY MILDRED GAY, LATE OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA, DECEASED
CREDITORS and others having claims against the above estate are required to send full particulars of such claims to Randall, Meyer, Pollard and Fuller, 103-1006 Fort Street, Victoria, British Columbia, Solicitors for the Executrix of the above estate, on or before the 19th day of January, 1978, after which date the estate's assets will be distributed, having regard only to claims of which the executrix shall then have received notice.
PEARL WHITE
Executrix
By her Solicitors:
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF LOUIS MARTIN MOSER, formerly of 570 Alderann Avenue, Nanaimo, British Columbia, deceased.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that creditors and others having claims against the estate of the above-named deceased are hereby required to send them to THE ROYAL TRUST COMPANY, 1205 Government Street, Victoria, British Columbia, Executor, on or before the 30th day of January, A.D. 1978, after which date the Executor will distribute the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they have notice.
THE ROYAL TRUST COMPANY
By their solicitors,
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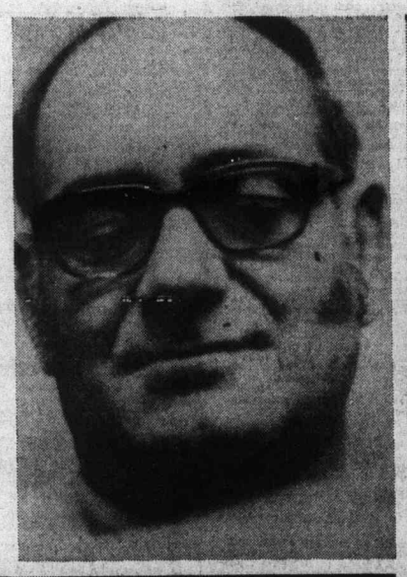

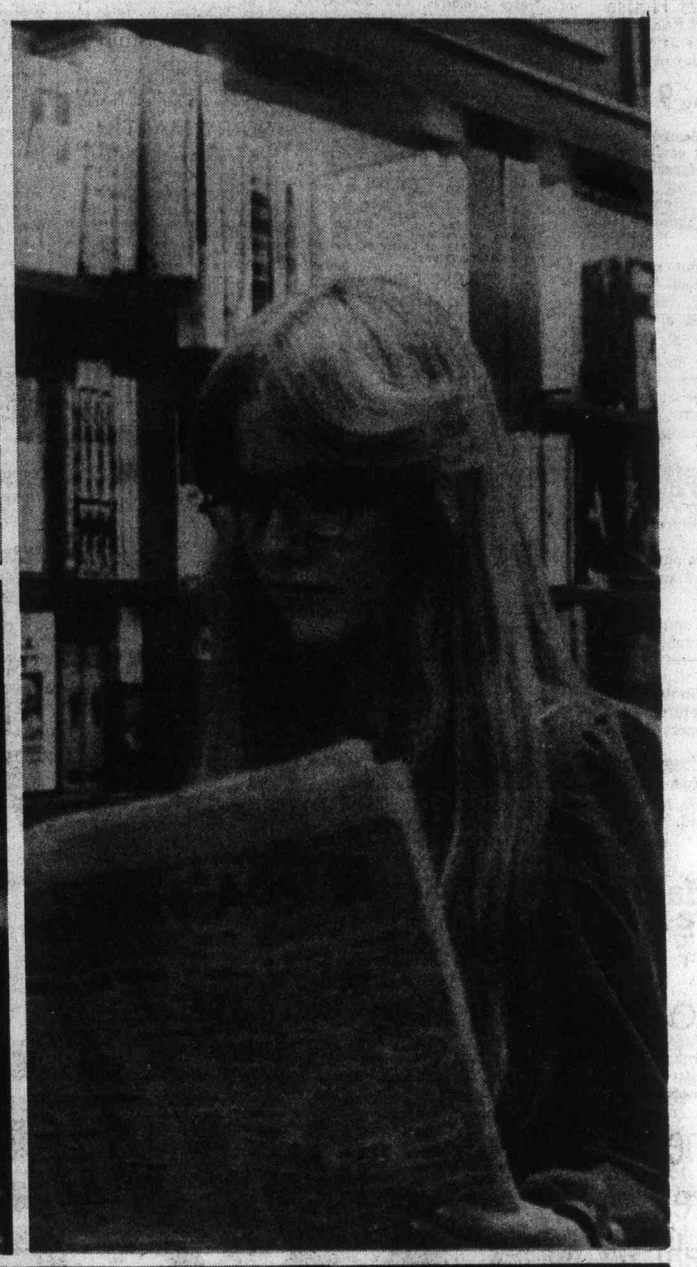

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Edmonton alderman want alternative

Council's raise 60%

EDMONTON (CP) — Ald. Peter Norris, who says he will ask city council colleagues to reconsider a $7,200 salary increase they voted themselves, says he still supports an increase.

But strong public opposition to the percentage value of the raise caused him to form an alternate formula that would raise aldermanic salaries to $15,488 and to $18,400 by 1980.

The salary approved last week by council raises aldermen's pay to $19,200 a year from $12,000 effective Jan. 1— an increase of 60 per cent.

The $7,200-increase was arrived at by council by allowing the $2,400 maximum under federal anti-inflation board guidelines for each year since the last increase for aldermen in 1975.

"The static is not in the amount but in the fact that it will be impossible to conduct any city hall union negotiations in light of the 60 per cent," Norris said in an interview.

His proposal calls for a nine-per-cent increase for each of the three years aldermen received no raise, nine per cent in October, 1978, and another nine per cent in October, 1979, when an independent committee would be set up to make recommendations on future city council salaries.

Three policemen chopped in rank

TIMMINS, Ont. (CP) — The Timmins police commission has reinstated three constables who were dismissed last month.

Police Chief Marcel Perreault dismissed Robert Rowe, Gary Adrien Benoit and Jack Steven Roach after they were found guilty by the chief of discreditable conduct. Rowe was also found guilty of deceit.

The commission set aside the dismissals and instead reduced the rank of each man to second-year constable from first-class constable, a two-year reduction in seniority.

The charges were laid as a result of an internal police investigation which started Sept. 14. No details of the investigation were disclosed.

Outcry from Tories

U.K. non-white boom

LONDON (Reuter) — A recently-released U.K. government report says Britain's non-white population might soon reach more than 2.5 million.

There was an immediate outcry from an opposition Conservative member of Parliament that immigration rules should be tightened, although the report made it clear that much of the increase would be caused by births to people already in the country, rather than by new immigration.

The report says that people originating from Britain's former African, Asian and West Indian possessions now total 1,770,000, or about 3.3 per cent of Britain's 54.4-million population.

The report's prediction that this would rise by 50 per cent by the mid-1980s is based on a demographic breakdown showing that most immigrants, and British-born descendants of one-time immigrants, are young.

The report called *Social Trends* covers many social phenomena in Britain. Among its observations is that one girl in three marrying before her 20th birthday is pregnant.

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New trial for nurses

Leonora Perez, 33, left, of Ann Arbor, Mich., and Filipina Narcisco, 31, of Ypsilanti, Mich., laugh as they respond to questions during their trial last summer in Detroit. Two nurses were convicted of poisoning patients at veteran's hospital. This week judge ordered a new trial.

Hands aiding mail machine

TORONTO (CP) — Despite the presence of a $1-million automatic letter-sorting machine, some mail is still being sorted by hand, says a post office official.

"It's one of those problems that we are working on," said Gordon Cunningham, Ontario regional director.

The sorting machines can sort 30,000 letters an hour but cannot handle envelopes that are too wide, too thick, unsealed, have window cut-outs or postal codes less than three-quarters of an inch from the bottom.

When envelopes are a standard size and design, the machines will work, he said.

The five-year-old, $900-million automated postal code system was expected to handle 80 per cent of the mail by 1975 but by June of this year, the percentage was 59.

News groups resist search

WASHINGTON (AP) — Lawyers for nearly all American newspapers and broadcasters have asked the U.S. Supreme Court to rule that police cannot obtain a warrant and make a surprise search of newspaper offices looking for evidence of a crime.

Briefs asking the court to rule such searches legal were filed last month by associations representing police officers, prosecuting attorneys and the attorneys-general of 17 states.

A coalition of news organizations argued that surprise searches needlessly jeopardized confidential material, disrupted newsroom operations and had a chilling effect on freedom of the press.

The law enforcement groups argued that a subpoena was too slow and would hinder efforts to identify and apprehend criminals quickly.

The case before the Supreme Court arises from a 1971 search made by the Palo Alto, Calif., police in the offices of the student-operated Stanford Daily.

On the day before the search, a photographer for the Stanford University newspaper took pictures of demonstrators at a hospital as they fought with police. The police, wishing to prosecute the demonstrators, obtained a search warrant for the unpublished negatives and made a 15-minute search of the newspaper offices. They found no negatives.

The newspaper sued and was upheld by federal district and appeals courts in California.

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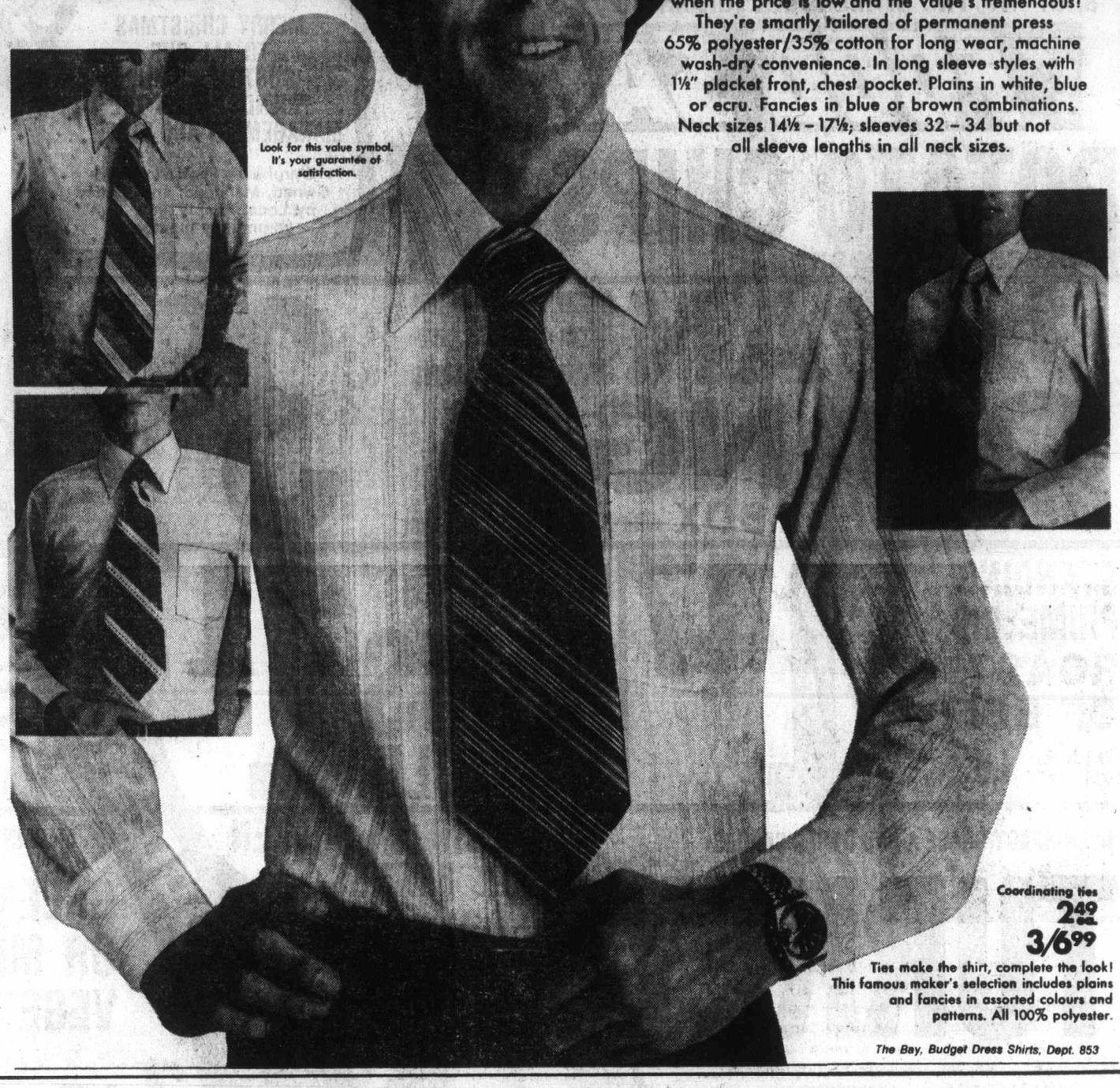

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Real estate receiving offices should have their final contributions in by 3 p.m. today.

Money can't buy most of us happiness, but it can be a warming gift for families who will be on the receiving end of the generosity of contributors to the 500 Fund because most of them are in dire financial straits. And that's no way to be at Christmas.

Most recipients who write to thank donors to the fund say the money has been spent on food for the Christmas table, or on presents for the little ones. However it goes, the money brings a little light and hope into homes that otherwise would be bleak at Yuletide.

Contributions come from the most amazing places. For example, the penny tin at View Royal Volunteer Fire Department gave up its annual treasure of $31.06 in coppers, the C.O.S.Y. organization (city police-supported group callled City Organization Supporting Youth) raised $100 through dances, rock-a-thons, car washes and other efforts.

To match the salesmen's contribution, the Greater Victoria Real Estate Board donated $500, and Victoria Press business office chipped in $20.

Gordon Head and Quadra elementary schools both delivered cheques Tuesday from their fund-raising efforts, $125 from Quadra and $150 from Gordon Head; David Cameron elementary held a penny drive and raised $136.98, while Cordova Bay elementary chipped in $69.25.

B.C. Ferries pay office raised $395.50, while the Victoria Ladies Curling Club raised $34.

Donations may be made through the Victoria Press office at 2621 Douglas to postal code V8W 2N4.

In addition, Avis Rent-a-Car at 638 Humboldt and 1420 Quadra, are receiving donations.

Seventeen real estate offices throughout Greater Victoria are prepared to accept donations to the fund. They are:

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Mirrors, mirrors on the wall . . .

Bryan McCrossan, 5, gazes at basic solar furnace made of dozens of mirrored squares during visit to Ontario Science Centre in Toronto. The furnace, part of energy exhibit, and Starlab, a small planetarium, were two displays opened by Ontario Premier William Davis Tuesday.

Bennett stalks CP over train pullout

'Go to cabinet if necessary'

By JIM HUME
Colonist Reporter

Premier Bennett Tuesday ordered provincial legal counsel to pursue "every avenue of appeal" against the latest Canadian Transport Commission ruling on the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway. *(See also Page 11.)*

Last week the CTC gave CP Rail permission to discontinue its Dayliner passenger run between Victoria and Courtenay, effective Jan. 31.

Bennett expressed anger and dismay at the CTC ruling and said he was requesting an immediate "stay" of the ruling pending an appeal which, he said, he will take through the courts to the federal cabinet if need be.

Having won the battle of the bridges earlier this year (CP Rail was ordered to repair two bridges north of Parksville at a cost of $2.2 million and to resume freight service to that point), Bennett said he had been confident the passenger service would continue.

He said his government would continue to battle CPR until a fair deal was obtained for the people of B.C.

"We have just begun to fight," Bennett said.

He warned CPR that while all of the original land grant of 2.1 million acres (1½ times the size of the province of Prince Edward Island) connected with the E&N had been sold or transferred to CPR subsidiaries there was considerable land involved in a right-of-way between Osoyoos and Okanagan Falls in the south Okanagan.

In the fight, Bennett said, he wouldn't hesitate to claim the Okanagan land plus adequate compensation.

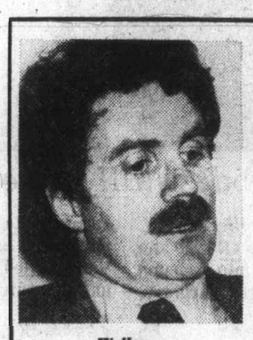
Between 1946 and 1974, the E&N netted $136,872,358 in timber land sales "for an area approximately equivalent to one-third of the total land grant," Bennett said. "If one third of the land grant yields $136 million, then possibly the sale of the whole land grant has yielded in excess of $300 million."

Bennett said he was confident the CPR did not lose money on its entire Vancouver Island operation but instead showed a substantial profit.

"The company has not released detailed accounting on the E&N operation since 1928, Bennett said. "They keep telling us what they lose on the passenger service, I wonder when they are going to tell us what they make on the freight?"

Up to 1928 the CPR always made public a set of accounting books devoted exclusively to the E&N. Since 1928, the E&N accounting has been amalgamated with the general accounting of CPR making it impossible, without company co-operation, to ascertain the E&N profit and loss picture.

The premier noted that the last big land sale involving the E&N took place in 1969 when 86,000 acres were sold for $12.9 million. "The income that could be derived from that one sale alone would be more than enough to offset the annual losses of the passenger ervice—with more to spare," Bennett said.



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McGeer must face charges, board rules

VANCOUVER (CP) — Paul Weiler, chairman of the B.C. Labor Relations Board, has rejected Education Minister Pat McGeer's claim that the board has no jurisdiction over him because of parliamentary privilege.

The ruling, made public Tuesday, said McGeer must answer to union charges before the board that he committed unfair labor practices.

Weiler said unfair practice complaints were laid against McGeer and other department officials in connection with statements made regarding the faculty union at Notre Dame University in Nelson.

McGEER ORIGINALLY went to court for a ruling that the labor board had no jurisdiction, but recently dropped that case and sought a ruling that he has absolute privilege outside the Legislature.

Weiler ruled the Constitution Act of B.C. gave privilege only to statements in the Legislature. Weiler said his analysis of legal authorities here and in British common law made it clear that parliamentary privilege could not be applied in this case.

"These alleged comments simply are too remote from any proceedings in the provincial Legislature, either in terms of geography or of content," Weiler said.

HE ALSO SAID that "freedom of speech outside the legislative assembly is ultimately subject to some legal restraints, designed to protect the freedoms of other individuals.

"Typically, the law has been used to protect an individual's right to be free from defamatory comments injuring his reputation," Weiler said. "In this case, the law in question—section five of the labor code—protects the employee's right to be from heavy-handed intimidation, intended to influence him to give up his trade union.

Weiler said he would call a further hearing to reach a judgment on whether McGeer's statements made at Nelson "were the legitimate exercise of free speech on matters of public concern, or whether they strayed across the boundaries of wrongful coercion of union members."

Consumer to help Syncrude

OTTAWA (CP) — Legislation introduced in the Commons Tuesday gives the government authority to levy a charge of up to $1 a barrel on crude oil to help subsidize production of synthetic oil in Alberta.

But the energy department says it expects the charge "will not exceed 15 cents to 20 cents a barrel." That amount will add about half a cent to the price of a gallon of gasoline or heating oil.

The department makes no mention of when the levy will come into force, but presumably it will be needed by spring, when Syncrude Canada Ltd. begins production of synthetic oil from the tar sands of northeastern Alberta.

The department says the charge will be imposed on all crude oil refined in Canada, and on oil products imported into the country.

When governments were forced to step in during 1975 to save the $2-billion Syncrude project from collapse, Ottawa agreed to allow the company world prices for its products — currently about $4 above the frozen domestic price.

The legislation gives the government the power to make subsidy payments to refiners of Syncrude oil, in

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B.C. POLICE TO CARRY WADCUTTER BULLETS

Municipal police forces in British Columbia will be issued a new type of ammunition, Inspector Bill Nichol of the B.C. Police Commission said Tuesday.

Nichol said the wadcutter bullet has more stopping power, because it creates a bigger shock on impact, but is much safer than the round-nosed bullet now used, because it will not pass through targets as easily.

He said most police chiefs were happy with the change in ammunition and hoped it might save lives.

A standardization of regulations governing the discharge of firearms has also been introduced, Nichol said, adding that while the new regulations do not differ much from the old ones the forces now have one set of guidelines to follow.

The new regulations, made public in an order-in-council Tuesday, authorize the chief constable or a police officer designated by him to empower officers to carry, for a special purpose, firearms and ammunition different from those referred to in the government regulations.

Without such permission, special weapons are banned.

The regulations also set out the circumstances under which a policeman may draw and use his revolver. He may do so:

- Defending his life or the life of another person;
- Effecting the apprehension of a person whom he has reasonable and probable grounds for believing is dangerous;
- Giving an alarm or calling for assistance for an important purpose, where no other means can be used;
- Warning a person in order to gain control of a situation which the officer believes may result in death or serious bodily harm to any person.

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Newfies think U.S. tie 'fine'

HALIFAX (CP) — Newfoundland Liberal leader William Rowe said Tuesday he believed most Newfoundlanders felt the U.S. would be as good an alliance as confederation with Canada.

That attitude would probably not change no matter what Quebec did, Rowe told reporters.

Rowe said Newfoundlanders, when faced with the prospect of Quebec separation, first suggested it might be a good idea to get together with the U.S.

The newly-elected Liberal leader said there was no noticeable attitude about not co-operating with Atlantic Canada, but such co-operation wasn't the first thing that came into people's minds.

Fire sweeps space base, 3 dead

VANDENBERG AIR FORCE BASE, Calif. (AP) — Three men—including the base commander—were killed Tuesday as an erratic, wind-tossed brush fire burned across the Vandenberg rocket base.

Base commander Col. Joseph Turner and two unidentified men died fighting the 1,000-acre blaze as it burned quickly through hilly brushland and 150 kilometres an hour winds carried sparks to unburned areas.

A base spokesman, Capt. Leonard Brady, said Turner was leading firefighting efforts when he was killed.

Brady said the blaze, which initially threatened three space launch facilities in the southern part of the base, appeared to be burning past or around the structures as north to northwest winds sent flames toward the Santa Ynez River.

He said the fire started when the violent winds ripped loose a power line and sent a shower of sparks into the tinder-dry brush.

Turner's burned body was found near a space launch section at the base and the two other victims were found nearby, Brady said.

Because of poor communications from the mountainous fire area, it was not known whether any of the launch facilities—one of which contained a booster rocket—actually had been touched by the flames, officials said.

Brady said the concrete-and-steel facilities were flame-resistant.

The fire, of undetermined cause, started about 8 a.m. on the north side of Tranquillon Mountain, near Arguillo Point. Personnel and rocket fuel were quickly removed from the three threatened missile launch sites.

No missiles were in position on this western U.S. rocket range which is used for launching both U.S. and western European satellites.

Brady said rocket fuel was removed from some pads ahead of the fire. But at other pads the fuel was left in tanks.

Backs apartheid, minister sacked

CANBERRA (Reuter) — Prime Minister Malcolm Fraser today dismissed a new cabinet minister, Glenister Sheil, for openly supporting apartheid in South Africa.

Sheil, given the veterans affairs portfolio Monday following Fraser's overwhelming victory in the Dec. 10 general election, called for apartheid in Australia to allow the separate development of the country's native aborigines.

Sheil, in radio and television interviews over the last 24 hours, has reaffirmed his support of apartheid policies in South Africa and the white minority government in Rhodesia.

Full Mideast peace pact forecast 'in months'

United Press International

Israeli Defence Minister Ezer Weizman paid a surprise visit to Egypt Tuesday to confer with President Anwar Sadat and a top Egyptian negotiator predicted a "comprehensive" Middle East peace settlement would be reached "in a matter of months."

Weizman arrived secretly at the Suez town of Ismailia to confer with Sadat and Gen. Mohammed Gamassy, Egyptian war minister and armed forces commander, an Egyptian spokesman said.

Afterwards Weizman and Gamassy left by helicopter for an air base at Jianaklis, 25 miles south of Alexandria, for five more hours of talks and an overnight stay, the spokesman said.

Egyptian official sources said the Weizman-Gamassy talks centred on details of Israel's proposed withdrawal from the occupied Sinai desert. They declined to elaborate.

An Egyptian spokesman said the visit was part of a previous agreement between Israel and Egypt to lay the groundwork for Israeli Prime Minister Menahem Begin's visit next Sunday.

Nevertheless, Weizman's arrival took diplomats in Cairo by surprise. Egyptian officials said they did not know how long Weizman would stay but the semi-official newspaper Al Ahram said he would be returning to Israel today.

In Tel Aviv, Begin said Tuesday a separate peace settlement with Egypt might serve as a first step in the search for a comprehensive agreement.

"There is no failure if one treaty is signed after another," Begin said on return from a week-long tour to gather support in the United States and Europe for his plan.

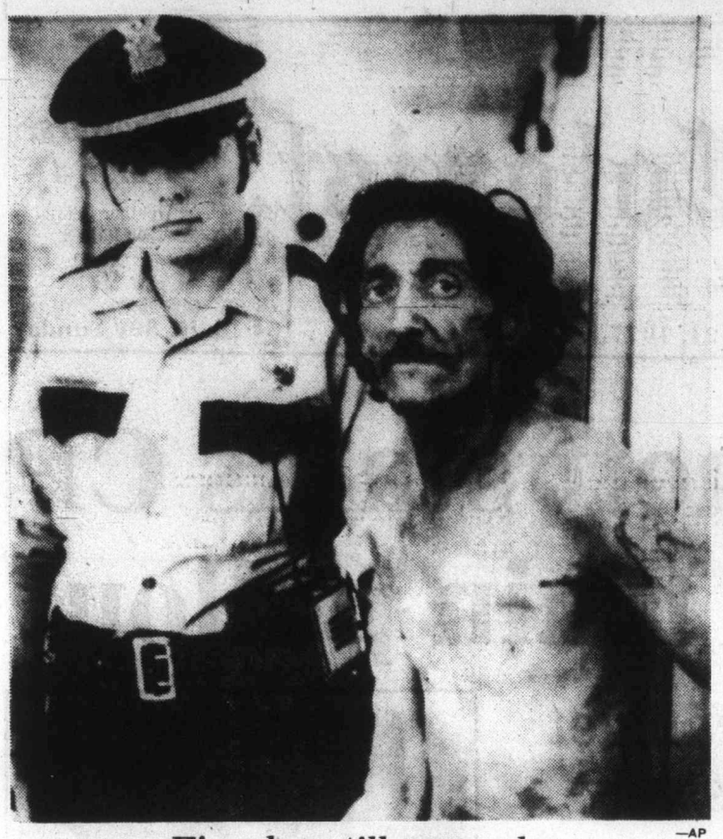
"If the agreement is signed with Egypt, before the negotiations begin with Syria, this is not the end of the process but the beginning. In the wake of the settlement with Egypt, settlements will be signed with the others. The goal is general peace."

Begin said his peace proposals won the support of President Carter and other officials in the U.S. administration as well as leaders of Congress and Prime Minister James Callaghan of Britain.

If the momentum toward peace continues, said Foreign Undersecretary Osama el-Baz, then "we can expect the Geneva (Middle East) peace conference to convene in a matter of weeks and a comprehensive settlement to be reached in a matter of months."

The Egyptian's optimism coincided paradoxically with stepped-up Egyptian criticism of the peace plan that Begin will present to Sadat when they meet in Ismalia Sunday for a Christmas Day summit.

Egypt's semi-official press said Begin's proposals fell far short of the Arab demand for the establishment of an independent Palestinian homeland.



—AP

Five days till surrender

Orlando Vasquez, with officer L. H. Mars, surrenders five days after he and three companions broke into Houston pawn shop in an attempted burglary, according to police. The three companions were captured in the shop, but Vasquez fled to attic where he remained until his surrender Monday.

'Informal talks' aimed at pickets

By DON COLLINS
Colonist Reporter

Victoria representatives of the Telecommunications Workers Union and the Government Employee Relations Bureau are to appear before the Labor Relations Board in Vancouver this afternoon for "informal talks" concerning the picketing which has kept the provincial government switchboard closed since Monday morning.

Paul Weiler, LRB chairman, told the Colonist that the bureau, the government's bargaining arm, had asked to see if the matter could be resolved through informal discussions "prior to lodging a formal complaint."

It was the first hint of the province's desire to remove the TWU picketline which has kept 19 full-time and auxiliary government switchboard operators off the job. The government had given the impression it was ignoring the action on the basis that it was having no real effect on normal business. The main impact was on public inquiry calls and the special intercity dialing system for government employees outside Victoria.

The initial mild response from the government wasn't unexpected. By posting the pickets, the TWU was trying to force the province to become actively involved in resolving the dispute with the B.C. Telephone Co.

Labor Minister Allan Williams had already said the province didn't intend to meddle in something within federal jurisdiction.

Mediator Mike Collins, appointed by federal Labor Minister John Munro, held more talks Monday and Tuesday with the company and was scheduled to meet negotiators from both sides today. The union hasn't been involved in the talks since early last week. There were no indications of any progress at this stage.

The prolonged contract dispute with its limited job action became a province-wide lockout-strike Nov. 24. Some 10,000 TWU members remain off the job while approximately 2,000 supervisory personnel carry out the normal services.

The major issue concerns the contracting-out of work. In 10 days, it will be one year since the last contract expired.

Meanwhile, Weiler said in a telephone interview that today's discussion would revolve around the legality or illegality of the picketing of the Douglas Building, where the normally busy government switchboard is housed.

The union says the building, with its 4,000 lines, serves as an actual exchange and in normal times four B.C. Tel employees use it as their home base. For this reason, the union considers the picketing legal.

Arrangements still hadn't been completed by Tuesday for financial assistance of the telephone operators involved. They are members of the B.C. Government Employees' Union. The union's constitution doesn't provide for payment of members forced out of work by the action of another union. But informants said moves were being made to see that the operators didn't go without some kind of payment.

On Monday, TWU member John Alfred Madsen of Surrey was charged with attempted mischief in connection with an alleged plot to jam long-distance lines. Madsen is to appear in court Jan. 9.

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SIX ON GIRLS' TEAM DIE IN CAR PLUNGE

REXTON, N.B. (CP) — Six members of an all-star girls' hockey team on their way home from a victory Monday night died when their car plunged off a bridge into the frozen Richibucto River near here, police said Tuesday.

The girls were members of a team made up of players from nearby Richibucto and Ste Anne de Kent which had finished a game at Richibucto about one hour before the car crashed off the bridge and turned upside down before plunging through five inches of ice and trapping the occupants.

Police said it appeared the six, ranging in age from 14 to 20, had drowned. It was nearly four hours before the bodies could be recovered.

Skates, hockey sticks and other hockey equipment were found in the car when it was towed to shore by a boat.

A spokesman for the community arena said the area was shocked by the accident. "They were all fine young girls and good athletes," he said.

The victims were identified as Marie Rina Legere, 19; Diane LeBlanc, 14; Diane Richard, 18; Patricia Fontaine, 20; Rolande Jaillet, 19, and Marcia LeBlanc, 15.

The two LeBlanc girls were not related.

The arena spokesman said all six were in the same car because all lived at Ste. Anne de Kent.

A second car, carrying players from Richibucto, was following closely behind the death car.

A single funeral mass is to be celebrated for the victims at Ste. Anne Roman Catholic Church in Ste. Anne de Kent later this week, a funeral home official said.

Rexton is about 85 kilometres north of Moncton.

Protesting carollers arrested

JOHANNESBURG (AP) — Forty-four white South Africans clutching lighted candles sang Christmas carols outside the central police station Tuesday night to protest detention of blacks. They were arrested for contravening the country's Riotous Assemblies Act and continued singing as they were led inside.

The whites gathered outside the station to demonstrate support for more than 700 blacks now held under the white-minority government's tough security laws—many without charges or visiting rights.

Oil levy

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effect lowering its price to domestic levels.

The federal, Alberta and Ontario governments together put up rescue financing and took a 30-per-cent share in the company in 1975.

Three oil firms — Imperial Oil Ltd., Gulf Oil Canada Ltd. and Canada-Cities Service Ltd. — hold the rest.

A third oil-sands operation is now being considered by the oil industry, with Shell Canada Ltd. the likely candidate, and Imperial has applied to build a heavy oil plant in Alberta. Both could be eligible for the compensation payments.

However, the first of the oil sands plants — Great Canadian Oil Sands Ltd. — does not get the higher price. The government says that since it is already in production, it needs no additional aid.

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The Weather

Dec. 21, 1977

Cloudy with a few showers beginning in the afternoon. Winds occasional brisk easterly. Tuesday's precipitation nil. Sunshine 1 hour 48 minutes. Recorded high and low at Victoria airport 4 and —3. Today's forecast high and low 4 and —1. Today's sunrise 8:03, sunset 4:21. Moonrise 2:19 p.m., moonset 4:14 a.m. Thursday outlook: showers.

East coast of Vancouver Island — Cloudy with a few showers beginning in the afternoon. Winds occasional fresh southeasterly. Tuesday's precipitation nil. Recorded high and low at Nanaimo 3 and —5. Forecast high and low 4 and —5 . Thursday outlook: showers.

West coast of Vancouver Island — Cloudy with periods of rain. Winds fresh to strong southeasterly. Forecast high and low at Tofino 6 and 1. Thursday outlook: showers.

North coast — Periods of rain except snow inland. Highs 4 to 8 along the coast except near —3 inland. Thursday outlook: rainshowers except snowflurries inland.

READINGS

	Max.	Min.	Precip.
St. John's	— 2	— 4	2.4
Halifax	1	— 1	—
Fredericton	— 2	— 4	—
Charlottetown	— 1	— 2	—
Montreal	— 1	— 5	—
Ottawa	— 3	— 6	—
Toronto	2	0	2.6
North Bay	— 4	— 5	—
Thunder Bay	2	1	1.4
Kenora	— 7	—11	3.6
Winnipeg	—10	—17	—
The Pas	—17	—20	—
Churchill	— 5	—17	—
Brandon	—15	—19	0.3
Regina	—19	—23	—
Saskatoon	—18	—25	—
Prince Albert	—18	—25	—
North Battleford	—16	—24	—
Swift Current	—12	—22	—
Medicine Hat	— 7	—17	—
Lethbridge	0	—16	—
Calgary	0	—16	—
Edmonton	— 8	—23	—
Cranbrook	— 6	—17	—
Castlegar	— 2	— 9	—
Penticton	1	— 2	—
Revelstoke	— 2	— 6	—
Princeton	— 7	—15	—
Vancouver	4	— 4	—
Prince Rupert	6	2	2.8
Terrace	— 4	— 6	—
Stewart	— 2	— 4	—
Port Hardy	6	4	—
Tofino	8	1	—
Comox	4	— 2	—
Prince George	— 6	—13	—
Williams Lake	— 5	—13	—
Mackenzie	— 8	—10	—
Blue River	— 8	—12	—
Kamloops	— 5	— 9	—
Dawson City	—31	—35	—
Whitehorse	—26	—33	—
Fort Nelson	—21	—27	—
Fort St. John	— 6	—18	—
Peace River	—12	—22	—
Yellowknife	—34	—37	—
Inuvik	—22	—29	—
Seattle	11	2	—
Spokane	— 4	—11	—
Portland	7	4	—
San Francisco	12	5	—
Los Angeles	22	10	—
Phoenix	17	4	—
Las Vegas	9	— 1	—
New York	5	2	—
Chicago	2	— 6	—

TIDES AT VICTORIA
(Tides listed are Pacific Standard Time)

	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.
	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.
19	00.45	6.0	03.00	5.9	10.00	8.9	18.15	3.8
20	01.30	6.6	04.30	6.8	10.40	8.9	18.30	3.3
21	02.45	7.2	05.30	7.4	10.50	8.9	19.05	2.8
22	03.00	7.4	06.00	7.8	11.20	9.0	19.40	2.4

TIDES AT SOOKE

	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.
	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.
19	01.50	5.4	09.20	9.3	16.55	4.4	23.10	6.2
20	02.00	6.1	09.55	9.5	17.40	3.7	23.45	6.5
21	05.30	7.2	10.20	9.6	18.15	3.1		
22	00.45	6.9	06.00	7.6	10.50	9.8	19.00	2.7

TIDES AT FULFORD HARBOUR

	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.
	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.
19	01.20	8.0	05.15	7.2	11.55	10.8	19.35	3.7
20	03.05	8.9	06.40	8.1	12.25	10.5	20.05	3.2
21	04.10	9.6	07.45	8.8	13.00	10.3	20.40	2.6
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HO—HO NO—NO

Union Builders protest hiring actions of hotel

By DON COLLINS
Colonist Reporter

Santa dropped in Tuesday at the Royal Olympic Hotel with about 50 of his helpers, but his usual "ho-ho" had turned into a "no-no."

The old elf (some spoilsport said he was a construction worker in disguise) was among demonstrators from the Vancouver Island Building Trades Council protesting the use of non-union labor for part of the hotel's major renovation program.

He carried a sign reading, "All we want for Christmas is jobs."

Council secretary John Schibli said the demonstration was staged to show the business community "we do have a problem with unemployment.

"We wanted to put out the message that our members support the business community throughout the year — there are 3,500 of them who spend their money here in Victoria — and now that we're in bad times we'd like the business community to reciprocate," Schibli said after his group of unemployed construction tradesmen had taken part in a "sit-in" at the Johnson Street hotel and an hour-long demonstration outside.

Schibli said the business sector could help out by not following the example of the Royal Olympic in enlisting the aid of non-union contractors once arrangements had been made to use union tradesmen.

He said most of the contractors involved had union agreements, but that two using only non-union help had been added to the list during the long renovation job that was necessary as a result of a fire that killed three people and gutted the hotel June 21, 1975.

When Santa and his helpers dropped out of the sky (or at least out of the Quadra Street Union Centre) Tuesday, they said their mission was to leave a message and not gifts. But, since the sit-in was staged in the pub, Royal Olympic owner Bill Wellburn wasn't so sure they hadn't presented him with a gift after all.

"Business was pretty brisk for a while," Wellburn said of the quick thirst-quenching undertaken by the group of 50.

Schibli said about 30 per cent of the Greater Victoria construction labor force was unemployeed. The figure hadn't varied for some time now and there was no promise of any improvement in the near future, he said.

The unemployment theme of the demonstration gave rise to an obvious question: How did Schibli and other union leaders expect to improve the employment situation by taking jobs away from non-union workers?

The answer is twofold: The main objective of the unions is to organize the unaffiliated workers. Beyond that, Schbili says, the union tradesmen provide a much more stable block of citizens where the local economy is concerned.

Non-union contractors, with no real security or fringe benefits to offer, attract a large number from the mobile work force, Schibli says.

"There are a lot of drifters who come in and out all the time."

Schibli said the building trades council could have followed the pattern of the past by removing union labor at the hotel because of the use of non-union labor.

"But we decided against being vindictive. We decided instead that as a special appeal to downtown business, we would confine our protest to a demonstration. I hope as a result of this, downtown business will be aware of our position. Our people need work."

Meanwhile, the hotel owner said the demonstrators hadn't accomplished anything, as far as he was concerned.

"They came and went, and nobody paid any attention to them."

That might not be the case next time, though, Wellburn warned.

The hotel's lawyers had been advised and, in turn, had spoken to the Labor Relations Board.

"And, if they do it again, we'll be ready for them," he said.

With this hanging over his head, the old elf might have lost his jolly image — had it not been for that pub sit-in.

Union Santa

Caroling MPs off for break

OTTAWA (CP) — MPs sang Christmas carols as they paraded from the Commons to the Senate, where amendments to the Canada Elections Act received royal proclamation Tuesday.

The amendments, which set limits on the amount of money parties and candidates can spend in federal elections, received third reading in the Commons last week.

Traditionally, changes to the Elections Act are not implemented for about 60 days after royal proclamation.

MPs sing Christmas carols every year on the last day before Parliament recesses for the holiday season. The session resumes Jan. 23.

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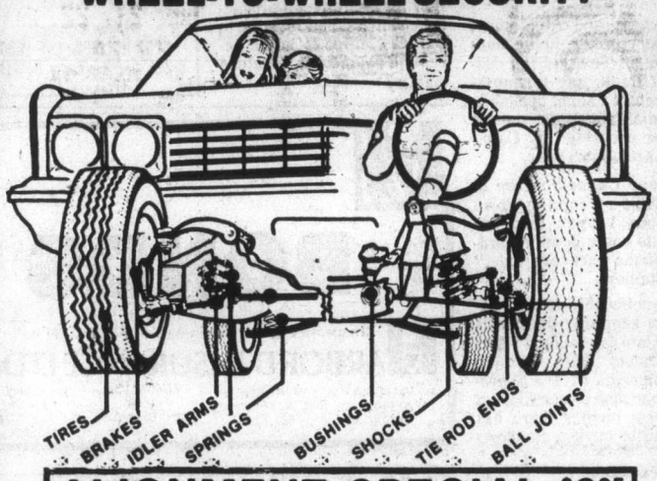

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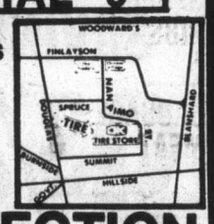

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Blacks, whites say talks made progress

SALISBURY (AP) — Black and white Rhodesian political leaders said they made progress Tuesday in the sixth round of talks on black majority rule.

Prime Minister Ian Smith was chairman of the meeting. Black leaders present were Bishop Abel Muzorewa, president of the African National Council, Rev. Ndabaningi Sithole, president of an ANC splinter group, and Jeremiah Chirau, president of the Zimbabwe United Peoples Organization.

Zimbabwe is the black African name for Rhodesia.

As the leaders talked, the war black nationalist guerrillas have waged for more than five years against Rhodesia's white-minority government continued.

The military command said six people, including three guerrillas, were killed in the previous 24 hours.

Smith has agreed in principle to universal adult suffrage in return for constitutional safeguards for the future of the country's white minority. Blacks outnumber whites 6.4 million to 268,000 in Rhodesia, which unilaterally declared independence from Britain 12 years ago to stave off majority rule.

In the last week, six attacks have been launched on Rhodesian military positions — a new strategy by guerrillas, who previously tried to avoid contact with Rhodesian troops — and 95 people have been killed.

The guerrillas operate from Mozambique, Zambia and Botswana under the leadership of Robert Mugabe and Joshua Nkomo, who have refused to be involved in the current negotiations.

Beckenbauer can't play at home

FRANKFURT, West Germany (Reuter) — Franz Beckenbauer, who signed for New York Cosmos earlier this year, cannot play for relegation-threatened West German side 1860 Munich during the North American Soccer League winter break, the West German Soccer Federation (DFB) ruled Tuesday.

The DFB's league committee said Beckenbauer's application to join 1860, city rivals of his old club Bayern Munich, arrived too late.

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DOLLAR POKER: U.S. holding aces

LONDON (AP) — The slump of the U.S. dollar is putting the squeeze on European businessmen and governments in what some economists see as an international poker game Washington is likely to win.

The risks are high, though. The stakes are high, too.

The stakes are eventual recovery from the worst world recession since the Second World War.

A primary risk is the danger that the dollar's slump might put heavy pressure on the oil-exporting countries to jump the price of their product.

The dollar has declined almost steadily through 1977, and the slump has accelerated through December. The U.S. Federal Reserve System, in what has been described here as a policy of "benign neglect," has intervened in foreign exchanges only to smooth out sharp fluctuations.

Determined support of the dollar was left to European state banks, forced to buy up more than $30 billion in a vain effort to keep the value of the U.S. currency from falling further.

In the meantime European businessmen saw the profit margins of their exports to the United States eroded steadily as the dollar sank. And at the same time, U.S. exports became sharply more competitive in European markets.

Here is a picture of how the dollar has declined in value over the last five years. The figures show the values of several European currencies, in terms of dollars, five years ago, last year and at the close of business Tuesday.

West German mark—31 cents, 42 cents, 47 cents.

Swiss franc—26 cents, 40 cents, 50 cents.

French franc—19 cents, 20 cents, 23 cents.

British pound—$2.60, $1.67, $1.8855.

The pound has made some comebacks since October, 1976, when the Britain's economic ills drove it to an all-time low of $1.5695. Last December, when the impact of oil production in the North Sea began to be felt, the pound started rising in value against the dollar.

The dollar's decline means that a Volkswagen, for example, will cost buyers in the United States more money if the West German company is going to get back the cost of the vehicle in marks. So far, however, most European companies have slashed their profits in order to keep from having to raise their prices in the United States.

A number of Swiss corporations are reported to be selling products without profit to avoid losing traditional markets.

The dollar has depreciated more than 11 per cent in relation to the West German mark since beginning of the year. That means a West German manufacturer who sells one-half his production for dollars, finds that his cash receipts have declined by 5½ per cent.

Conversely, a U.S. firm selling its goods in West Germany finds that it can cut its price on imports in marks by 11 per cent and still take back the same amount of dollars as before.

The situation is much the same in Britain where the pound has appreciated 9 per cent in dollar terms, in Switzerland where the Swiss franc has gone up 16 per cent, in the Netherlands, France and elsewhere.

Its decline was the symbol of the poker game going on between Washington on the one hand and Bonn, Bern, Brussels and other European capitals on the other.

It was the result of a genuine disagreement between the leaders of the industrialized countries on the best way to solve the world's economic problems of continued low growth, high unemployment and persistent inflation.

In its simplest terms, the argument is whether to reflate economies by priming the pump or fighting inflation by restricting the growth of money needed by industry to expand its output.

West Germany, Switzerland and, until recently, Britain put the battle against inflation first. The United States began priming the pump in 1976 to spur the economy out of the recession brought on by the four-fold increase in the price of oil in 1973.

The expanding U.S. economy was a godsend for the Europeans. They concentrated on exporting to the United States, while fighting inflation at home, and the U.S. trade deficit built up close to $30 billion this year.

A number of European leaders have spoken out in strong terms against Washington's apparent abandonment of the dollar, but economists recognize that the United States, as The Times newspaper put it, is "playing a strong hand."

Depreciation of the dollar has only a small effect on the U.S. economy because foreign trade accounts for only a relatively small part of total income from goods and services—the gross national product.

By far the largest import is oil and that is being paid for in steadily depreciating dollars.

But that is where the major risk of the U.S. policy lies. How long will the oil-producing countries, now meeting in Caracas, agree to go on accepting payment in devalued dollars?

$ 'Lite' fight opens

LONDON, Ont. (CP) — A labelling dispute between John Labatt Ltd. and the federal department of consumer and corporate affairs that has caused the company to halt production of a new beer will be decided by the courts, a spokesman for the brewery said Tuesday.

The dispute concerns Labatt's use of the word lite in its new beer Special Lite. The federal department defines light beer as containing no more than 2.5 per cent alcohol. The government says the word lite in the label on the new beer, which contains four per cent alcohol, is the same as the word light.

The brewery says its use of the word lite refers to the beer's calorie content of 99, about half the calorie content of normal beer.

The company will take the dispute to court in British Columbia.

Americans NOT rushing northward

SEATTLE, Wash. (AP) — The devalued Canadian dollar, worth about 91 cents in United States currency, has not proven to be a powerful cross-border retail trade lure, experts say.

American shoppers, guaranteed $1.10 for every U.S. dollar in some Canadian cities, are shopping, as usual, at home. One exception: Detroit, where a short drive brings shoppers to Windsor, Ont., and the bargains of devaluation.

Canadians, however, have responded to what for them is the most unfavorable exchange rate in 40 years. Fewer Canadians are crossing the border to shop in the U.S., officials and businessmen say.

No one knows for sure how much money is involved in over-the-border shopping each year, though in Washington state alone, Canadian retail trade was estimated at $2 million a week in 1976.

Businessmen lack hard figures but say Canadian buying in the United States has slackened. In many areas it has almost disappeared because of devaluation, says Alasdair McKichan, president of the Retail Council of Canada, based in Toronto.

Canadians were stunned last summer when their dollar, at times worth more than the U.S. dollar, dropped to 90 cents in value. Economists say a decline in Canadian borrowing, political uncertainties and burgeoning inflation caused the devaluation.

Though devaluation was good for Canadian exports, a hoped-for surge of American retail buyers has not materialized.

"I don't think people are busting a gut to rush up to Canada," said George Blaker, assistant manager of Holt Renfrew and Co. in Vancouver.

Traffic at such border stations as Champlain, N.Y., and International Falls, Minn., is reported normal by customs supervisors.

At Buffalo, N.Y., officials say there is no sign of increased American shopping in Canada. Most Canadian hotels treat the more-valuable U.S. dollar at par and stores giving a premium of more than seven cents are unusual.

Merchant groups, banks, department stores, hotels and others in Vancouver all say there has been no increase in U.S. trade.

"Zilch," is how manager Patrick McLarnon of Henry Birks and Sons Ltd. of Vancouver responds when asked about an American shopping binge.

The British Columbia government has sponsored a "Friendship Exchange" campaign in which businessmen guarantee Americans will receive $1.10 in value for every U.S. dollar they spend. Similar campaigns to attract American customers have been launched in Windsor and elsewhere.

Wayne Currie, deputy travel industry minister for B.C., says 10,000 B.C. merchants have pledged to give $1.10 for every U.S. dollar through Dec. 31. The province has advertised in half a dozen Washington state newspapers.

"The 10 cents on the dollar is a catalyst, a way to offer American shoppers a bonus," says Currie. "Border crossings on Thanksgiving weekend were up 20 per cent, and this was part of it."

But in Bellingham, Wash., about 145 kilometres north of Seattle, businessmen and bankers dispute Currie's claim.

"If you have a little money for dinner, the 10 per cent doesn't mean a damn," says Bob Stephens, executive vice-president of the Bellingham Chamber of Commerce. "It's kind of laughable. It's ridiculous. There just isn't any exodus from here to shop there."

As difficult to pin down is the decline in Canadian buying in the United States.

Canadian shoppers traditionally have been welcomed at Burlington, Vt., about 65 kilometres from the Quebec border. Some stores offer special services, such as French-speaking clerks.

"We find a substantial number of Canadians shopping year round in Burlington, although we don't have specific figures," says James Daley, executive vice-president of the Lake Champlain Chamber of Commerce.

"It's a short ride, an international visit and, in most cases, the prices of goods are lower here, even with the Canadian discount."

Last Friday, an informal survey of cars parked in downtown Burlington found 10 per cent were from Quebec.

Stephens and Al Stamey, manager of the Bellingham branch of Seattle-First National Bank, say businessmen report a slight decline in Canadian shopping, though border crossings by Canadians are up this year.

"Many Canadians are in the habit of coming down here and I think they are going to come down regardless of the exchange rate," said Stamey.

One noticeable area of Canadian shopping decline is real estate sales. Some Whatcom County, Wash., housing developments have a 90-per-cent Canadian ownership, but in recent months there has been little buying, Stephens said.

Grain

WINNIPEG

	Open	High	Low	Close
Flax				
Dec	209.00	209.80	209.00	209.80
May	215.50	215.50	213.00	214.50
Jly	—	—	—	216.50
Rapeseed Vancouver				
Jan	301.50	304.60	300.70	304.60
Mar	294.70	298.10	293.70	298.10
Jun	286.70	289.70	286.10	289.70
Rapeseed Thunder Bay				
Dec	—	—	—	270.00
May	—	—	—	293.00
Jly	—	—	—	266.00
Barley				
Dec	75.60	76.20	75.40	76.20
May	75.80	76.50	75.80	76.40
Jly	75.50	75.90	75.30	75.70
Oats				
Dec	74.80	79.80	74.80	78.50
May	72.20	74.10	72.20	74.00
Jly	—	—	—	71.60
Feed Wheat				
Dec	92.80	97.50	72.80	97.50
May	87.80	89.40	87.80	89.30
Jly	85.00	85.50	85.00	85.50
Rye				
Dec	113.90	114.10	113.90	114.00
May	115.50	115.50	115.00	115.00
Jly	113.50	113.50	113.20	113.20

CHICAGO

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat				
Dec	2.56½	2.58¼	2.56½	2.58
Mar	2.65½	2.68¼	2.65	2.67
May	2.70	2.73	2.69¼	2.72
Corn				
Dec	2.19¾	2.20½	2.19	2.19¾
Mar	2.24¼	2.25¾	2.23¾	—
May	2.26	2.28	2.26	2.28
Soybeans				
Jan	5.96	5.99	5.93	5.98½
Mar	6.08	6.09	6.01	6.08¼
May	6.13	6.13½	6.07½	6.13¼
Soybean Oil				
Dec		21.75	21.25	21.50
Jan		21.74	21.35	21.70
Mar		21.50	21.10	21.50
Soybean Meal				
Dec		163.00	160.30	160.30
Jan		162.70	160.50	161.20
Mar		164.50	162.30	163.00

Livestock

CALGARY (CP) — Receipts Tuesday at the Calgary public stockyards totalled 1,071 cattle and 61 calves.

Slaughter steers traded steady. Slaughter heifers steady to 25 cents higher on good conditioned kinds. All grades of slaughter cows and bulls continued to sell steady to previous quotations.

London

LONDON (CP) — Closing stock quotations Tuesday in new pence unless pounds are indicated; x-indicates that quotations includes dollar premium based on latest conversion rate: 0.7236.; Associated Brit Foods 66; Babcock and Wilcox 114½; Bass Charrington 155; BICC 107½; xBlyvoors 415; BOC International 79½; Boots 221; Bowater 182½; Brit Am Tomb 282½; Brit Assets Trust 69; Brit Petroleum 854; Brit Petroleum new 870; xBroken Hill Prop 336½; Buffels 12; Burmah Oil 51; xCanadian Pac Stgx 12; xCharter Cons 130½; Cons Gold 171½; Courtaulds 115; De Beers 299½; Distillers 171; Dunlop 89; EMI 179½; xF.S. Geduld 15 3-16; Gen Elec 266½; Glaxo 585½; Grand Metropolitan Hotels 100¾; Gr Unv Stores 314; Guest Keen 272½; Hawker Siddeley 192; Hoover 378½; ICI 357½; Imp Tob 74¼; -Kloof 587½; Marks and Spencer 158; -Metal Box 298; Minorco 139½; xPhillips 845; Pilkington Bros 477½; Plessey 92; Rank A 244; Rio Tinto Zinc 181; Roan Consol 55; Sel Trust 395; Second Scott Inv 93¾; Shell T and T 529½; Tanganyika 137½; Thomson 644; Thorn 372; Tube Investments 356; Ultramar 229½; Unilever 5u6; Union Corp 247; Vaals 15¼; Vickers 177; Western Driefontein 9⅝; Western Deep Level 850; xWest Mines 75¾; W Holding 17½; Woolworth 63½; Zambian Copper 12½; BONDS: Brit Transport 67½; Brit Cons 23½; Treasury 8½ 99; War Loan 36½.

The Financial Times industrial index 479.6, up 9.8

Commodities

	Open	High	Low	Close
Gold, Winnipeg (per oz.)				
Jan78	160.10	160.60b	159.30a	160.60b
Apr78	163.40	163.60b	162.20a	163.60a
Jly78	165.80	166.90b	165.50a	166.90a
Copper, New York (per 100 lbs.)				
Dec	59.70	59.70	59.50	60.00
Jan	59.70	59.90	59.60	60.00
Mar	60.70	60.90	60.50	60.00
Porkbellies, Chicago (per 100 oz.)				
Feb	53.30	54.20	52.85	54.10
Mar	52.00	52.95	51.45	52.95
May	51.00	52.27	50.75	52.20
Silver, New York (per 100 oz.)				
Dec	465.40	469.50	462.50	470.00
Jan	466.20	471.00	463.00	170.60
Mar	471.50	477.50	468.70	476.80
Lumber, Chicago (per 1,000 b.f.)				
Jan	209.70	210.20	207.10	208.20
Mar	214.00	215.00	212.20	212.90
May	214.00	215.20	212.70	213.90

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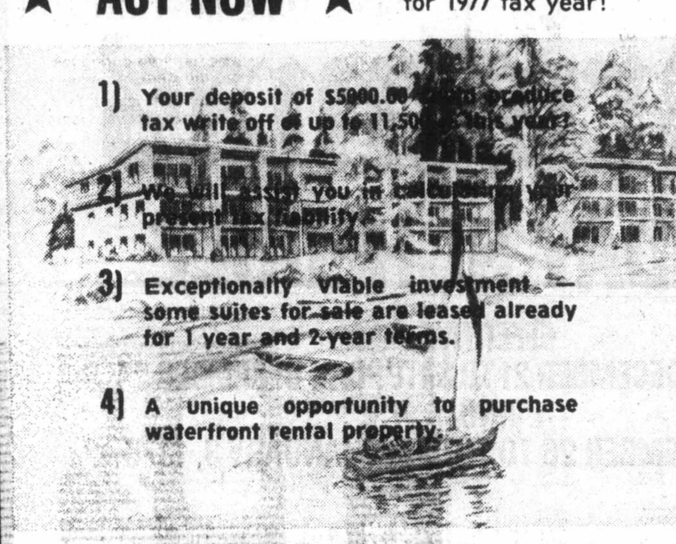
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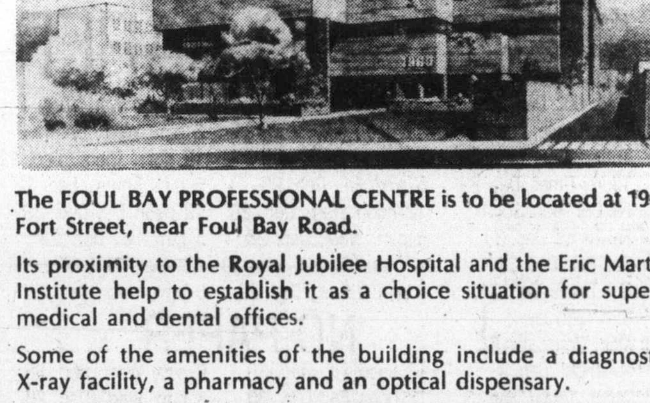
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Hospital workers vote next month

By DON COLLINS
Colonist Reporter

Some 20,000 members of the Hospital Employees' Union will be asked to vote next month on whether they want to turn to compulsory arbitration to achieve a collective agreement with the province's hospital industry.

The move is recommended by their leaders, but if they reject it the next step would be a strike vote.

Talks between HEU and the Health Labor Relations Association broke off Dec. 1 and the union's provincial executive met in emergency session Dec. 12 and 13 to plan the next move.

There has been no official statement from the union since then, but the strategy is contained in a letter to the rank-and-file members. A copy of the letter was obtained Monday by the Colonist.

If the membership supports the recommendations of its executive it will be putting recently-enacted essential services legislation to the test. In its letter to the members, the union notes that the Essential Services Disputes Act allows it to opt for arbitration if there is a breakdown in collective bargaining.

"...both HEU and HLRA will be legally bound by the arbitration decision," the letter says.

The executive decided the move was one that couldn't be made without membership ratification. So votes are to be conducted from Jan. 3 to Jan. 13.

The executive says in its letter that a strike vote would be the "only real alternative" if the members disagree with the idea of arbitration.

It was the union that ended the talks Dec. 1. In doing so, it said no progress had been made.

The break held no surprises because of the past poor relationship between the union and HLRA, bargaining arm of the industry. The union is certified as almost every major hospital in the province.

The last round of major contract talks produced the first strike in the 32-year history of the union. Coming in the spring of 1976, it was ended by a cooling off period. The two-year contract that followed was unique in that it was actually legislated at a special sitting of the Legislature.

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Chamber chooses president

CUMBERLAND — Norman Alexander has been selected president of the Cumberland Chamber of Commerce.

Alexander owns and operates the Home Store on the Cumberland Road and since coming to Cumberland has taken an active part in chamber of commerce activities.

Jules Jewra is first vice-president, Bill Critch second vice-president, John Leung, treasurer and Betty Critch, secretary.

The lack of Island bus service into Cumberland was the major topic of concern. In January, past president Bob Nikolaisen will take the matter to the government in an effort to have the first bus of the day and the last bus at night come into Cumberland.

The chamber agreed to try to find a candidate for the annual snow queen contest held as part of the winter carnival, which this year runs from Feb. 3 to 12. John-Cliff Drygoods agreed to co-sponsor a candidate. The annual snow ball, at which the queen is named and crowned, will be held in the Cumberland recreation hall.

To aid the annual winter event, Cumberland will host a senior men's basketball tournament on Jan. 30.

Student charged in Sidney death

A 32-year-old university student who lives on a boat near Sidney was formally charged with second-degree murder Monday in Victoria provincial court.

Ervin Ray Beebe, a Saanichton man who lives aboard a vessel moored at Canoe Cove Marina, remained silent during his brief appearance before Judge William Ostler in which Beebe was charged in the death of 23-year-old James Struik, 880 Downey in Sidney.

Sidney RCMP laid the charge following a stabbing in a field behind the Travelodge Victoria Airport, 2280 Beacon, shortly after midnight Saturday. The altercation apparently started in the Golden Bear Tavern, 2280 Beacon, over the use of a pool table.

Struik was rushed to Resthaven Hospital in Sidney but was pronounced dead at 12:49 a.m.

RCMP, who first thought the call came from the Sidney Hotel at the other end of Beacon Avenue, caught up with the vehicle which was transporting Struik to the hospital when the driver took a wrong turn going to the hospital and was getting turned around. Police then escorted the vehicle to the hospital but not in time to save the man's life.

Following the formal reading of the charge (Beebe was charged originally before a justice of the peace Sunday), legal aid lawyer James Main asked for a remand without plea until Wednesday. Beebe will remain in custody until at least Wednesday. The remand was for the purposes of seeking legal counsel and possibly to set a preliminary hearing date.

Beebe is a student at the University of British Columbia.

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Christmas Greetings to all
PETER POLLEN FORD

Dianne's Car fund revs up spirit for Christmas

By DEREK RHIND
Colonist Correspondent

DUNCAN — The spirit of Christmas is evident in many ways in the Cowichan Valley, but none more appropriately that the "Dianne's Car" fund. This is the fund started by Eileen Hindmarch and a local realtor, Ron Dickie, to provide a special handicapped's car for Dianne Deyholes, a 23-year-old Duncan woman, who's own story of her fight against, and the eventual overcoming, of personal tragedy makes that of Charles Dickens Tiny Tim seem like a Sunday school picnic.

Just two and a half years ago, when Dianne was 21, she could dance, swim, run and take part in a normal 21-year-old's everyday life. But today, after four major operations following a very rare disease, Dianne is a paraplegic and spends most of her waking hours in a wheel chair.

On July 5, 1975, Dianne was admitted to Victoria General Hospital in extreme pain and transferred by ambulance to Vancouver General, where the attending doctors discovered and operated on a rare type of benign tumor in her hip, replacing the joint with a teflon ball and pins.

The tumor recurred necessitating further surgery. After that operation Dianne received 34 pints of blood, a medical milestone. In all, Dianne received 94 units of blood during her stay in hospital.

Following further complications, including the growth of still yet another tumor, which was growing very quickly, doctors tried to cauterize the arteries that supplied blood to the tumor. But by this time, because of the tumors growth, the swelling caused the skin in her leg to crack and skin crafts had to be performed. By now the tumor was growing to the surface and as a last resort radium treatments were started.

The final decision, according to Dainne's mother, was to cut a nerve in her neck area to relieve the pain and then "in despair wait for Dianne to die."

At Dianne's insistence, despite warnings from her doctors that she was too weak, they amputated her leg, hip and half of the groin on Dec. 6, 1976. A week later she developed infection and was losing 200 calories daily. Dianne was now unconscious most of the time.

Doctors then decided to try a rare and new technique of feeding by putting tubes into her arteries at the neck. Fats and vitamins were then pumped into Dianne to keep her alive.

Miraculously, she awoke on Christmas Eve, 1976, and was able to be spoon fed.

As she steadily gained strength and mobility, she was sent to the G. F. Strong rehab centre in July, 1977, and was at that time receiving $25 monthly from the government. The government has now increased this amount to $150 and fitted her with an artificial hip and leg an supplied her with a wheel chair. On Oct. 26 she was moved to a home for paraplegies, but attends the centre from 8 a.m. to) p.m. each day for therapy.

Most of the $150 she receives monthly is used for transportation to and from the rehab centre. Dianne now is in great spirits and looking forward to the day when she can support herself.

She crochets, does macrame, bowls and is looking forward to the day when she can begin her college training, says her mother.

"This is where the problem comes in," says her mother. Transportation to the G. E. Strong centre is no problem. A van picks up the paraplegics each morning and returns them to their homes each afternoon. But if Dianne is to assume a new career, which is what she wants to do, her government cheque of $150 isn't going to go very far.

Dianne needs a special car, it's called a car for the handicapped and a group of Duncan residents are trying to raise $2,500 for its purchase. They are asking the people of the Cowichan Valley to help them.

Dianne also needs the car to facilitate visits to and from her doctors.

Anyone wishing to help Dianne by assisting in the purchase of the handicapped car may mail donations to "Dianne's Car," care R. C. Dickie, 5873 Jaynes Road, Duncan or to "Dianne's Car," care J. Hindmarch, 161 Price Place, Duncan. Donations may also be dropped off at H. W. Dickie Ltd., Government Street, Duncan.

SEEKING QUICK AND DECISIVE ACTION

Nanaimo leads protest on rail passenger cut

By DONNA REIMER
Colonist Correspondent

NANAIMO — City council will spearhead a protest that it hopes will result in a reversal of the decision to allow the Canadian Pacific Railway to drop its passenger service on the E&N line on Vancouver Island.

The council, and a group of organizations that in the past had opposed council's actions, were in agreement Monday night that quick and decisive action must be taken to try to stop the closure of the Dayliner passenger service.

The city will send its protest to the Canadian Transport Commission, local MPs, the Association of Vancouver Island Municipalities and the Union of British Columbia Municipalities.

Nanaimo Mayor Frank Ney said he hoped other Vancouver Island municipalities would join in the protest.

"I hope our telegrams are on the road to Ottawa in 48 hours," Ney said.

A brief, presented to concil by Pat Barron, representing several community groups, agreed with aldermen on their stand.

The decision, the brief said, "was unwarranted and would cause hardship and grave economic repercussions to the residents of Vancouver Island communities.

Barron said that "the passenger revenue losses to the E&N were compensated for many times over by the huge returns from the timber, mineral and land holdings given to the E&N, and its parent company Canadian Pacific, in exchange for rendering this service."

The group of organizations included sport and commercial fishermen, Nanaimo Duncan and District Labor Council, SPEC, the Naturalists Association and the Concerned Citizens Committee, Barron said.

He said they agreed that if the E&N service were discontinued all properties and rights of the original agreement should be returned immediately for the use and benefit of the people of Vancouver Island.

The group outlined possible steps it wanted council to take.

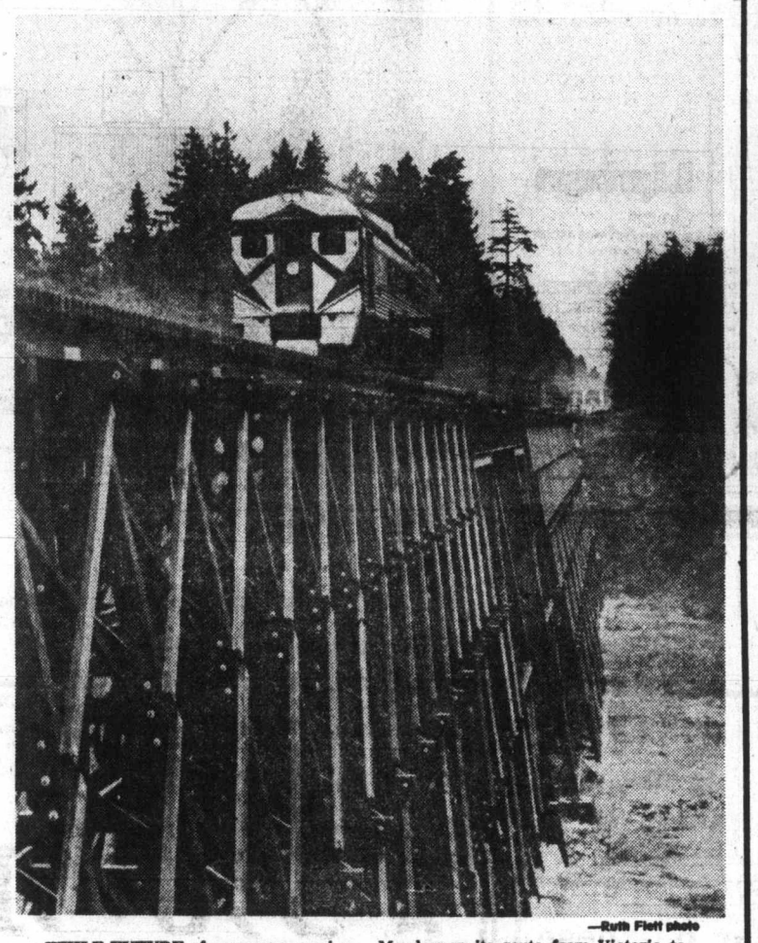
Suggested were court action, a referendum, or some other form of community expression, and a committee of five from the Nanaimo area.

Council rejected the first three ideas as impractical, but agreed to participate in a committee, naming Mayor Ney as their representative.

Barron said that the committee could seek public support for the protest and contact other communities on the Island.

It was suggested the committee be made up of one council member, one original board member and three people from the community at large.

Ney said, however, that this action was not quick enough, and urged the council to also send its protest immediately, opposing any cutback of rail service to Vancouver Island.



—Ruth Flett photo

WHILE FUTURE of passenger service was still subject of debate, grey skies welcomed Dayliner's first trip across newly constructed 88 foot high trestle at French Creek, just north of Parksville. About two dozen people rode train Monday on its route from Victoria to Courtenay, including number of reporters and photographers. Crown corporation VIA, which is taking over Dayliner early in new year, is expected to stop service on grounds it is not profitable.

Community speaking on youth centre fate

NANAIMO — An ad hoc committee will provide official community input into the decision on what will be done with the Island Youth Centre at Brannan Lake.

The centre, which is being closed down this week, is being considered by the attorney general's department for some type of facility, such as a remand centre.

Nanaimo city council Monday night agreed to appoint the ad hoc committee, to respond to a letter from the human resources department, asking for community input into the decision.

Mayor Frank Ney told the council he had heard from Vancouver sources that on no condition were any hard-core offenders to be put in the facility.

Ald. Ada Howden said she felt the community definitely would not accept hard-core offenders at Brannan Lake.

Ald. Gino Sedola said he had held two meetings with community groups and had seen the report being prepared on the facility's future.

He said he did not want to say too much about the report, but felt city council should definitely look into its recommendations and reserve for itself the right to make comments on those recommendations.

He said it appeared that about 150 people would be contained at Brannan Lake, in various areas of corrections, and that they would not be juveniles.

Ald. Ray Brookbank said he thought it was important that council have input into the decision, but just as important was the way the employees at Brannan Lake had been treated. He said that surely there would be jobs for some of them at the facility under its new use, rather than forcing them into early retirement or to move.

He said he was concerned about the treatment the employees had received from Victoria.

Ald. Sandy MacKay said the family court committee was in favor of the facility being used as a remand centre for the upper part of the island.

Also discussed in council chambers Monday night was the progress of planning for the Duke Point pot development.

The council received a letter from the Nanaimo Chamber of Commerce, expressing concern over apparent lack of action on the port development.

But, Mayor Frank Ney said he had discussed the port plans with officials in Ottawa, the B.C. Development Corporation and the Nanaimo harbor Commission and he was satisfied that planning was going ahead at a good pace.

He said he had been advised that representatives from Ottawa would be travelling to Nanaimo to look over the project when all of the planning was finished.

Approved Monday night was the appointment of Tom MacDonald as the city's new fire chief. MacDonald, a 24-year veteran of the fire department, will take over from retiring chief Jim Raffle on Feb. 1. MacDonald now is deputy chief.

The council gave final approval Monday to three heritage bylaws, but received notice from one of the property owners affected that future compensation might be sought.

Designated heritage buildings were 2 Church Street, Haslam Hall and the old CPR station.

Only the facade of the building at 2 Church Street was given the heritage designation, but its owners, Everhard Holdings Ltd. and Tulsa Enterprises, wrote council to say that they might seek compensation in the form property tax relief if rennovations proved more costly because of the need to preserve the facade.

In other business, aldermen voted to write to the B.C. Building Corporation, to back up the complaints by the Central Vancouver Island Union Board of health at the delay in starting construction of the health centre on land owned by the Nanaimo Regional General Hospital.

The new offices are desperately needed by health unit staff, the board of health said, and all parties involved had agreed to the project.

The council will oppose the issuing of a pollution control permit to Lafarge Canada Ltd. to allow stockpiling of coal slack on the waterfront near the B.C. Ferries terminal.

Public works director A. W. MacDonald told the council the operation had given the city headaches for some time now, because of the dust created by the transfer of the coal slack from barges to trucks.

He said the dust had created problems on roads leading from the site. Spraying water on the dust, he said, only created a stickier problem.

The council agreed to oppose the permit application.

H.B. Contracting Ltd. of Surrey was awarded a $699,-364.30 contract for work on the sewer system in Northfield. H.B.'s bid was the second lowest, but the city's consulting engineers said the lowest bidder, Kany Construction and Engineering of North Vancouver, included stipulations in its bid that made the bid invalid.

The contract price is below the amount that had been estimated by the city's engineers.

School trustees ask the questions

Brief begs answers

COURTENAY — A Brief submitted by Courtenay District School Trustees to the government committee investigating teacher-training contained nearly 50 questions rather than the usual statements of fact.

Many of the briefs already presented repeat the same concerns as Courtenay, insufficient classroom training, effective screening for teacher trainees, insufficient time spent in practicum and lack of training in special education problems.

The brief came from the Courtenay education committee of the board with full board input.

Trustees asked: Is there a need for formal teacher training when untrained individuals can demonstrate more effective teaching skills than those with formal training? Is a two or three week practicum sufficient to give teacher trainees a good look at the realities of schools? Has any real attempt been made to obtain updated information on the quality of the teacher training programs? What criteria is used in selecting trainees? Are teachers equipped to advise students about the outside work world with many teachers never holding a job before becoming a teacher?

The brief quotes John Ruskin who said, "Education does not mean teaching people what they do not know. It means teaching them to behave as they do not behave . . . It is a painful, continual, and difficult work done by kindness, by watching, by warning, by precept, and by praise, but above all by example."

Other questions asked, "Is it reasonable to expect all teachers to exhibit personal proficiency in the basic skills of reading, writing, listening and arithmetic? Can we expect those who are to teach English to do so without having an understanding of grammar themselves? Should there be some standard of personal mastery in such subjects before individuals graduate from education college?

Fireman injured

PORT ALBERNI (CP) — A volunteer firemen was injured Tuesday when one wall of a building housing an automobile dealership collapsed after it caught fire. Gerald Bezanson was reported to be in satisfactory condition with multiple injuries. The blaze was believed to have started when a blowtorch ignited a can of paint.

No estimate of damage was available. The building was extensively damaged and two new automobiles were destroyed.

BATvan paying off in fewer accidents

By PAUL BENNETT
Colonist Reporter

If it's the bottom line that really counts, then the BATvan roadblocks police are setting up in Greater Victoria this festive season are really paying off.

Ambulance dispatcher Howard Matz said Monday night the number of accidents the provincial service has attended in Greater Victoria this Christmas is down "quite a bit" from last Christmas.

Although he didn't have statistics at his fingertips and was reluctant to give a percentage estimate of how much the accident rate has been cut, Matz said he'd sent only one ambulance to a minor accident by 10 p.m. Monday. The previous night there were no calls at all, he said, a fairly rare occurrence.

"I think it (the BATvan) is helping, we haven't had so many accidents this year, and they are mostly of a minor nature.

"There's also been a reduction in the number of drinking drivers we've handled," he said.

A nurse in the emergency ward at Victoria General concurred, saying she believed there were fewer motor vehicle accident admissions this Christmas than last.

Cab companies phoned in a random survey to see how Attorney-General Garde Gardom's "war of terror" on the drinking driver is working out, reported business is booming.

That comment came from the dispatcher at Esquimalt-Saanich cabs, but she added she wasn't sure whether the BATvans or just the season was the reason.

Mrs. Elitta Erickson, dispatcher at Bluebird, said "we've been quite busy and I think a lot of it's got to do with the roadblocks."

"Nobody can afford to run the risk of a fine the size they're handing out, and to lose their licence as well."

Checks with pubs and lounges revealed a mixed picture. Some bartenders say people have cut back on their drinking while others believe it's not having any impact.

Bob Trett at the Swiftsure Inn said many customers were just ignoring the threat of roadblocks.

"People who were stupid enough to break the law before the BATvans came are stupid enough to break the law now. After all, the penalties stayed the same and for some that's not enough to scare them.

"I wish I didn't have to say that, but I guess it's just human nature to run risks, even as big a risk as driving and drinking."

Ken Geddes, in the taproom of the Red Lion Inn, said the number of drinkers in the beer parlor seemed to have dropped a bit since the BATvans came on the scene. "I think they (drinkers) are watching it more."

A bartender in the Colony beer parlor said business had "slowed down a bit," but speculated it might be because people were spending most of their money on Christmas presents.

In the lounge of the Royal Oak Inn, a drink waitress said people were being more careful about their drinking.

"Those who used to have five or six drinks are now having only three or four," she said.

One final check, with a tow-truck company, seemed to leave the issue still in the balance.

Bruce Dyck, of Mayfair Towing, said the trucks "had been really busy lately" but on reflection he thought the accident action might be about the same as last Christmas.

Nobody has yet taken up with the idea of a Vancouver towing service which offers to tow both drunk and car home for a flat fee, at least none of Mayfair's customers.

Cougars continue to hand out gifts

By JIM TANG

Victoria Cougars aren't playing any favorites this Christmas season. Last week they handed Portland Winter Hawks two points at Memorial Arena, and Tuesday night they extended their largesse to Saskatoon Blades.

Blades, who went into the game with the fewest points of any team in the Western Canada Hockey League, started the third period at 3-5 and with less than 12 minutes remaining seemed destined to suffer their 14th loss in 15 road games.

But the Eastern Division trailers were quick to take advantage of some casual play by a team which has had a season-long tendency to get careless and scored three third-period goals, two of them only nine seconds apart, to skate off with the points.

It was the fourth straight defeat for the Islanders, and it kept them from gaining a third-place tie with Seattle Breakers. Blades, who are 10-7 on home ice, are still 10 points out of third place in the Eastern Division.

Cougars started and finished sloppily. Picking up a rash of early penalties, they were 0-2 before the first period was half over. Then they came back strongly and held a good edge from there until their third-period letdown.

Power-play goals by Geordie Robertson and Gary Lupul pulled them even, and they were 3-2 for the second period when a Saskatoon defenceman kicked the puck behind John McKerrow for a goal which was credited to Kim Spencer.

Brent Ashton, who leads the Saskatoon club with 28 goals, got a clean breakaway and cashed his rebound for the 3-3 goal at 5:36 of the second period, but the Cougars shook off that error and opened up a two-goal lead on scoring shots by Lupul and Mark Robinson, who came in on the right side to score the prettiest goal of the game.

There was no indication of what was to come when Wayne Merkel, who had opened the scoring, suddenly got a break from his own zone. Not only did it result from careless Cougar play but there was no real pursuit as Merkel went in and was able to pick up his rebound.

It was 5-5 before the announcement of the goal could be made, the Blades winning the faceoff, quickly getting the puck inside the Victoria zone and scoring through Wes George when a Victoria defenceman coughed up the puck.

The same defenceman missed the puck near the centre line eight minutes later to set up a two-on-one break, and this time George and Ken Federko reversed things with Federko scoring his second goal of the game and George drawing the assist.

The Cougars couldn't make it in a desperate last effort although they got a power-play chance with 90 seconds remaining and were kept alive about 30 seconds from time when the puck hit the piping on a shot taken at the empty goal from inside the Saskatoon blue line.

Blades were outshot, 52-30, but it was a misleading statistic. Saskatoon-goalkeeper John McKerrow did stop 47 shots but not too many of them were dangerous.

In Tuesday night's other game, Flin Flon Bombers ended a slump by scoring seven goals in the third period to defeat Regina Pats, 9-5, and break a tie with Brandon Wheat Kings for the Eastern Division lead.

First Period
1. Saskatoon, Merkel 1:36
2. Saskatoon, Federko 7:46
3. Victoria, Robertson 28 (Robinson) 13:53
4. Victoria, Lupul 7 (Robinson, Robertson) 16:09
5. Victoria, Spencer 5 16:22
Penalties—Cochrane(V)2:32, Robinson(V)15:30, Robertson(V)14:34, Heck(V), Bent (S) 7:14, Fenske(V), McTaggart(S) majors 7:46, Darryl Erickson(S) 13:06, Fritz(V), Baron(S), George(S) 15:30, Cochrane(V)17:34.
Second Period
6. Saskatoon, Ashton (Carson, MacNaught) 5:36
7. Victoria, Lupul 8 (Geroux, Spencer) 9:31
8. Victoria, Robinson 2 (Robertson) 12:40
Penalties—Heck(V)triple minor, George(S) double minor 9:01, Cochrane(V)11:09, Carriere(S) 11:43, Cochrane, Johnson(S) 17:46, Spencer(V)19:49.
Third Period
9. Saskatoon, Merkel 8:36
10. Saskatoon, George (Federko) 8:47
11. Saskatoon, Federko (George) 16:44
Penalties—Lupul V 2:20, Johnson Sa 18:21.
Shots on goal by

Saskatoon	15	8	7	—30
Victoria	22	15	15	—52

Goal—McKerrow, Saskatoon; Frost, Victoria.
Attendance—1,992

REGINA(5)—Gerry Galloway, Doug Wickenheiser, Ron Parent, Darrell Ell, Paul Hogan; FLIN FLON(9)—Mario Bottik 2, Craig Levie 2, Guy Bohmer 2, Mel Biluk, Glenn Hicks, Ray Markham. Attendance—978.

Eastern Division

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Flin Flon	41	19	16	6	208	203	44
Brandon	31	18	7	6	175	135	42
Regina	36	16	18	2	170	187	34
Saskatoon	32	11	21	0	167	184	22
Central Division							
Billings	35	20	12	3	178	158	43
Lethbridge	38	19	15	4	17x	156	42
Calgary	36	11	19	6	166	216	28
Medicine Hat	34	9	20	5	128	168	23
Western Division							
Portland	31	15	9	7	143	128	37
New West	35	14	16	5	162	155	33
Victoria	33	14	17	2	147	151	30
Seattle	36	13	9	4	123	104	30

Tonight's Game
Regina at Flin Flon

Islanders' Bergeron (16) scores first of two early goals against Doug Favell

Tennis highlights of year

Chris still No. 1

By FRED ROTHENBERG
The Associated Press

Tennis, the fastest growing sport in North America with some 32 million participants, spent the 1977 season fascinated with several firsts and the annual question of "Who's No. 1."

In women's tennis, the annual question received its annual answer—Chris Evert of the United States, the stroking precisionist who earned more than $500,000 while winning nearly every major tournament she entered, including the U.S. Open and the Virginia Slims championship.

The lone exception was Viginia Wade's dramatic Wimbledon triumph before an adoring English home crowd, including the Queen.

The men's tennis throne was claimed by a triumvirate of Bjorn Borg of Sweden, American Jimmy Connors and Guillermo Vilas of Argentina.

Borg won Wimbledon for the second straight year and the U.S. Tennis Association's indoor title in Memphis, Tenn., but his tournament activity was limited by his contract with Cleveland of World Team Tennis.

Connors won the World Championship of Tennis crown in Dallas, several big-money, head-to-head matches and was runnerup in the U.S. Open, Wimbledon, U.S. clay court and U.S. Pro Indoor. His total earnings were $822,656.

Vilas assembled an extended clay-court winning streak, claiming the French and U.S. Open titles along the way. Vilas has already earned over $440,000 and is assured of at least $300,000 in Grand Prix money in January.

The biggest first was the ballyhooed appearance at the U.S. Open of Renee Richards, the transsexual who won through the courts the right to play against women in North America's top tournament. But, alas, her right to continue playing at Forest Hills, N.Y., was abridged by her first-round loss to Wade, not unexpected since Richards is 42 years old.

Speaking of firsts, the 1977 U.S. Open was the last at the famed concrete horseshoe in Forest Hills. The Open is set to move to hard-surface courts at Flushing Meadows near baseball's Shea Stadium.

Other big firsts in the tennis world were the initial appearances in top tournament play of 18-year-old John McEnroe and 14-year-old Tracy Austin and the comeback of Billie Jean King.

McEnroe, a New York native with a fiery temperament, gained the semi-finals at Wimbledon before losing to Connors in four sets; Austin reached the quarter-finals at Forest Hills before succumbing to Betty Stove of the Netherlands, and King, returning to tournament singles after a knee injury, made several finals, but never could beat Evert.

The year's other major tournament winners were: Florenta Mihai in the French Open; Vitas Gerulaitis and Janet Newberry in the Italian Open; Dick Stockton in the U.S. Pro Indoor, and Manuel Orantes in the USTA Clay Court.

Australia, in the tennis dumps in the 70s, brought the Davis Cup back Down Under with a victory over Italy and the New York Apples won the WTT title.

Chris Evert-a study in concentration

Only work of goalkeepers earns point for Canucks

Atlanta Flames outplayed Vancouver Canucks but had to settle for a 2-2 National Hockey League tie before 14,350 fans at the Pacific Coliseum Tuesday night.

The Flames outshot Vancouver 31-12 but had to battle back twice on goals by Guy Chouinard and Eric Vail as goalkeepers Curt Ridley and Cesare Maniago played brilliantly in the Vancouver net.

In the only other NHL game scheduled, New York Islanders slammed Colorado Rockies 9-1 at Uniondale, N.Y.

Jere Gillis and Dennis Ververgaert scored against Flames' Dan Bouchard, who was tested by only four Canuck shots in the first period and two in the third period.

The tie moved Vancouver into a first-place deadlock with the idle Chicago Black Hawks in the Smythe Division and gave the Flames a share of third place with New York Rangers in the Patrick Division.

Vancouver opened the scoring at 3:02 of the first period when the rookie Gillis continued his hot scoring with his 15th goal of the season.

Gillis followed up a fine play by centre Pit Martin and fired a 20-foot shot to catch Bouchard out of position.

The Flames tied the score on a power-play goal midway through the second period when Chouinard's slap shot evaded Maniago who replaced Ridley.

Ridley was carried from the ice on a stretcher after he was hit in the throat by a shot fired by Vail. He was taken to hospital for observation but team officials said the injury was not serious.

Ververgaert gave the Canucks a 2-1 lead at 11:33 of the period on a fine individual effort when he controlled the puck with his skates, fought off two Flames and fired a wrist shot that beat Bouchard.

Ververgaert's goal was the only bright spot in the period as most of the play took place in the Canuck end, as the Flames pressed for the equalizer which came early in the third period.

Vail tied it when he broke in from the left side, picked up Tom Lysiak's drop pass and blasted a 25-foot slap shot past Maniago.

In Uniondale, Michel Bergeron scored a pair of goals 42 seconds apart in the first six minutes and assisted on a pair of goals by Billy Harris as the Islanders scored six times in the final period.

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Atlanta 2, Vancouver 2
First Period
1. Vancouver, Gillis 15 (Martin, Blight) 3:02
Penalty—Grisdale(V) 17:15.
Second Period
2. Atlanta, Chouinard 7 (Vail, MacMillan) 10:12
3. Vancouver, Ververgaert 6 (Walton, Kannegiesser) 11:33
Penalties—Gillies(V), Lysiak(A) 2:57, Grisdale(V) 9:46.
Third Period
4. Atlanta, Vail 6 (Lysiak) 6:08
Penalties—None.
Shots on goal by

Atlanta	h	7	11	13—31
Vancouver	h	4	6	2—12

Goal—Bouchard, Atlanta; Maniago, Ridley, Vancouver.
Attendance—14,350.

NY ISLANDERS 9, COLORADO 1
First Period
1. NY Islanders, Bergeron 7 (Harris, D. Potvin) 4:21
2. NY Islanders, Bergeron 8 (Parise, Harris) 5:03
Penalties—Suzor(C) 2:15, Kaszycki(NY) 10:53, Croteau (C) 11:15, Hart(NY) 15:25.
Second Period
3. Colorado, Spruce 7 (Beck, Van Boxmeer) 3:38
4. NY Islanders, Kaszycki 2 (D. Potvin, Persson) 18:27
Penalties—Hart(NY) 2:44, Hudson(C) 4:24, Arnason(C) 16:49.
Third Period
5. NY Islanders, Bourne 10 (Nystrom, Westfall) 6:37
6. NY Islanders, Harris 8 (Bergeron, Hart) 3:21
7. NY Islanders, Gillies 13 (Trottier, Drouin) 7:50
8. NY Islanders, Trottier 22 (Drouin) 13:34
9. NY Islanders, Nystrom 12 (Kaszycki) 16:43
10. NY Islanders, Harris 9 (Bergeron, Bourne) 19:12
Penalties—Harris(NY) 3:48, Trottier(NY) 8:05.
Shots on goal by

Colorado	h	13	14	6	—33
NY Islanders	h	7	15	13	—35

Goal—Favell, Colorado; Resch, NY Islanders.
Attendance—14,102.

Norris Division	G	W	L	T	F	A	P
Montreal	31	20	7	4	118	61	44
Los Angeles	30	14	11	5	89	80	33
Detroit	29	10	15	4	85	95	24
Pittsburgh	30	9	15	6	96	127	24
Washington	30	5	20	5	63	116	15
Adams Division							
Buffalo	31	20	7	4	115	81	44
Boston	31	19	7	5	109	78	43
Toronto	29	19	6	4	110	76	42
Cleveland	31	10	18	3	79	116	23
Patrick Division							
Philadelphia	30	21	5	4	134	65	46
NY Islanders	32	17	7	8	128	72	42
NY Rangers	32	11	15	6	109	113	28
Atlanta	32	9	13	10	86	104	28
Smythe Division							
Vancouver	31	10	13	8	90	111	28
Chicago	32	9	13	10	79	90	28
Colorado	27	8	13	6	96	97	22
Minnesota	31	7	20	4	87	137	18
St. Louis	31	7	20	4	73	127	18

Tonight's Games
Washington at NY Rangers
Philadelphia at Cleveland
Montreal at Toronto
Buffalo at Detroit
Minnesota at Los Angeles
Chicago at St. Louis
Colorado at Boston

Soviet clubs win one, drop two exhibitions

Don't bother shouting "The Russians are coming." They're already here.

The Soviet Union is currently represented in triplicate on the North American hockey scene and Tuesday night, teams from the land of the Great Bear managed only a .333 percentage in combat with their professional and amateur hosts.

Winnipeg Jets of the World Hockey Association outskated a Soviet national team 6-4 and Team Canada Juniors dumped their Soviet counterparts 7-3 in Montreal.

The only Soviet winners were Moscow Selects, who handled Nova Scotia Voyageurs of the American Hockey League 6-3 in Saint John.

The Soviet-featured games, though, represented just a fraction of the action, as the international scene buzzed.

Also on the professional level, the Czechoslovakian "B" national team fought Cincinnati Stingers of the WHA to a 5-5 tie. And in preparation for the imminent World Cup of Junior Hockey, the Czechs downed Quebec Remparts of the Quebec Major Junior Hockey League 6-4; Finland hammered Chicoutimi Sagueneens of the QMJHL 12-6 and Hull Olympiques slapped the West German Juniors 6-0.

In Winnipeg, the Jets scored five consecutive goals in the first and second periods enroute to their win, which will count in WHA standings.

The Soviets struck first midway through the first period but the Jets scored a pair before the period ended and ran the count to 5-1 before the visitors scored again late in the second period.

Winnipeg made it 6-2 early in the third period before giving up a pair of goals to make the score close.

Dave Kryskow scored twice for Winnipeg, with Kent Nillson, Bobby Hull, Lars Sjoberg and Peter Sullivan getting single goals.

The loss was the Soviet Union's second in four games against WHA clubs and came before a less than capacity crowd of 9,111 fans.

The touring team gets another chance tonight in Edmonton against the Oilers.

Third-period goals by centre Jaroslav Mec and defenceman Vitezslav Duris lifted the Czechs into their tie with Cincinnati. A 10-minute overtime period was scoreless.

Cincinnati had taken a 5-3 lead when Ron Plumb and Rich Leduc scored 45 seconds apart near the end of the second period but Mec and Duris scored late in the third period to knot the score.

In an all-WHA game, Morris Lukowich and John Gray scored twice each, leading Houston Aeros to a 6-4 victory over Edmonton.

Tony McKegney of Kingston Canadians of the Ontario Hockey Association scored three goals and assisted on two others as the Canadian Juniors dumped the Soviets.

Canada's win was its third in three starts as teams warm up for the international junior championships which open Thursday.

The final, 21-man Canadian roster was to be announced today.

Players from the Western Canada Hockey League didn't figure in the scoring, although Wayne Babych of Portland Winter Hawks and Brad McCrimmon of Brandon Wheat Kings each had an assist.

Patrick Daley, from Laval Nationals of the QMJHL, scored two goals for Canada and Rick Vaive of Sherbrooke Beavers of the QMJHL and Wayne Gretsky of Sault Ste. Marie Greyhounds picked up one goal each.

CZECHOSLOVAKIA(5)—Frantisek Cernick 2, Jaroslav Mec, Vitezslav Duris, Klaboush; CINCINNATI(5)—Richie Leduc(21st), Ron Plumb(5th), Craig Norwich(2nd), Peter Marsh(3rd), Jamie Hislop.

SOVIET UNION(4)—Anatoli Emelianenko, Igor Romashin, Alexander Volchov, Nikolai Makarov; WINNIPEG(6)—Dave Kryskow(8th and 9th), Kent Nillson(10th), Bobby Hull(24th), Lars Sjoberg(6th), Peter Sullivan(8th). Attendance—9,111.

EDMONTON(4)—Dave Semenko(1st), Juda Widing(4th), Al Hamilton(7th), Norm Ferguson(12th); HOUSTON(6)—Morris Lukowich(17th and 18th), John Gray(9th and 10th), John Tonelli(5th), John Hughes(1st). Attendance—6,091.

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
New England	31	20	8	3	127	98	43
Winnipeg	31	18	12	1	141	97	37
Quebec	27	16	10	1	126	109	33
Houston	28	13	13	2	103	110	28
Edmonton	29	13	15	1	106	113	27
Birmingham	28	11	15	2	93	103	24
Cincinnati	29	11	17	1	98	116	23
Indianapolis	30	9	17	4	94	123	22

TONIGHT' GAMES
Winnipeg at Houston.
Czechoslovakia at Birmingham.
Soviet Union at Edmonton.

Nina, Wendy drop openers

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. (Reuter) — Nicole Marois of Quebec City, the Canadian under-18 girls' champion beat Teri Starr of the United States, 6-2, 6-3, Tuesday in a first-round match at the Orange Bowl world junior tennis tournament.

Four other Canadians to see action Tuesday were less fortunate, however. A pair of Victoria girls, Nina Bland and Wendy Barlow, were beaten in first-round play, as was Sue Black of Mississauga, Ont.

Mike Puc of London, Ont., who had won an opening-round match over Oliva Rene Strang of Brazil, fell 3-6, 7-5, 6-3, Tuesday to Guillermo Stevens of Mexico.

Jennifer Balent of the U.S. downed Miss Bland, 7-5, 6-3, Miss Barlow was trounced 6-0, 6-1 by No. 2 seed Anne Smith of the U.S., and Miss Black lost 6-0, 6-3 to Petra Van Oyen of West Germany.

Yannick Noah of France and Czechoslovakia's Hana Strachonova, the top seeds in the competition which features entries from 50 countries, both posted victories Tuesday.

Noah whipped Peru's Luciano Cuneo, 6-1, 6-0, in second-round boys play, while Strachonova had a tough time against American Sandy Fleischman, 6-1, 4-6, 6-3, in a first-round women's match.

The only upset in the day's play came when fourth-seeded Andy Kohlber of the U.S., was forced to retire with an injured back after losing the first set, 6-1, to Sweden's Stefan Simonsson.

NHL Services audit discloses lavishness

TORONTO (CP) — The Globe and Mail says an internal audit by the National Hockey League has disclosed that the league has been paying for the use of two automobiles and a New York apartment by the president of National Hockey League Services.

In a copyright story, the newspaper also says NHLS president Don Ruck and his staff members have been allowed to take female companions along on business trips, travelling first class.

As a result, much stronger controls of NHLS are urged by a committee that conducted the audit and ended up questioning various business practices employed by the organization, the Globe and Mail adds.

A New York-based corporation, NHLS is exclusively controlled by the NHL and is responsible for licencing, broadcasting and public relations functions in the league.

The newspaper quotes an unidentified league governor as saying: "The majority of us are appalled by those expenditures. In effect, it's money out of our pockets. We have not been kept abreast of the inner workings of Services and would never have gone for such lavishness, if we knew what was going on."

Many NHLS procedures were carried out without the knowledge of the majority of NHL clubs—the shareholders in the corporation—and the report has sparked a deeper investigative audit of NHLS operations.

NHL president John Ziegler, a member of the NHLS board, is quoted as saying: "Whenever a company is put under such scrutiny, you are going to find some negatives."

Ziegler adds that some "reorganizational steps" will be considered next month when the board of governors gathers in Buffalo.

Sport today

HOCKEY

8:30 p.m.—South Island Junior "B" League: Fuller Lake Flyers vs. Victoria Ray's Red Wings, Fuller Lake Arena.

9 p.m.—South Island Big Six League: Juan de Fuca Merchants vs. Victoria Athletics, Juan de Fuca Arena.

Maple Leafs drub Bucks

First-place Esquimalt Maple Leafs drubbed Western Homes Buckaroos 17-1 Tuesday night in a South Island Big Six Hockey League game at Esquimalt Sports Centre.

Kerry Brewster led the attack with four goals and Gerry Blanchette, Dale Cook, Bob Barton, Gerry Caldwell and Randy Krantz had two apiece. Rugs Pritchard had one and Dave Pettinger replied for the Bucs.

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When To Fish Or Hunt

According to the Solunar Tables calculated for this area, the best times for hunting and fishing for the next 10 days will be as follows. (Times shown are Pacific Standard):

	Minor A.M.	Major A.M.	Minor P.M.	Major P.M.
TODAY				
—	6:25	12:25		6:50
TOMORROW				
2:00	8:30	2:30		8:55

Minor periods, shorter duration, light type.
Major periods, lasting 1½ to 2 hours are shown in bold.

Braves pop goals in groups of five

Saanich Braves can't seem to lose and now they're finding new challenges in the South Island Junior "B" Hockey League.

During Tuesday night's game against Lake Cowichan Baird's Trucking, the first-place Braves, now 21-1-0, delivered their goals in neat packages of five, one gift-wrapped set in each period.

Saanich blasted Lake Cowichan 15-2, before 133 fans at Pearkes Arena.

Scott Connors was chief architect of the slaughter, scoring four goals, while two goals each came from Murray McLaren, Bill Adkin, Bruce Tuck and Wayne Larson. John Brown, Larry Wright and Tracy Patterson scored one each.

For the sixth-place Bairds, Glen Smith and Dale DeBodt replied.

Bruce Morrow was peppered with 66 shots in Lake Cowichan's goal, while Geoff Murdoch and Mike Duch breezed, handling 19 shots between them.

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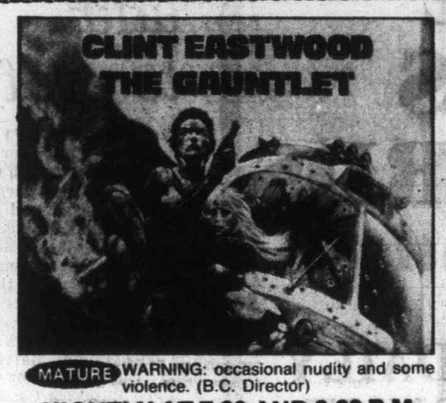

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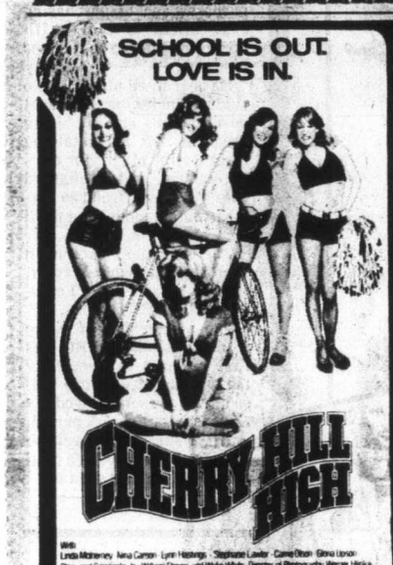
SCHOOLS' IN

Greater Victoria elementary schools have been particularly active this year in raising money for the Colonist 500 Christmas fund. Among schools which presented cheques Tuesday were Gordon Head (top) and Quadra elementary (right). With cheque for $150 from Gordon Head are, from left, Loris Boak, Carol Webb, teacher Tarjeet Mann, Dennis Lee and Garth Pilon. Quadra students made a "media event" out of their presentation, dressing up for the occasion. As Christmas presents are Darlene Nip, Brian Baldwin (front) and Violetta Kolodziejczyk, along with Laurie Readman, holding cheque, Angela Grafton and Martin Herzog.



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'We'll all hang,' —drug trial tape

Five tape recordings of telephone calls together with a written transcript were admitted as exhibits in a Victoria county court drug conspiracy trial Tuesday but the rest of the day was spent in legal argument with no witnesses being called.

Three persons, James Bradley Bellefontaine, 24, JoAnne Gareau and Patrick Joseph McLoughlin, 29, are accused of conspiracy to traffic in cannabis resin between May 12, 1976, and July 21, 1976, in Victoria county and elsewhere in B.C.

Judge E.J.C. Stewart ruled Monday that the bulk of the tapes presented in a voir dire, or trial within a trial, last September were admissible.

After two hours of legal argument on several matters, Stewart adjourned the trial until today.

In one tape recording, the transcript says Bellefontaine asked McLoughlin and Gareau to come over and "groove" and said "yes, I want a weight" to which McLoughlin said "a large one?" and Bellefontaine replied "yes."

Another recording showed McLoughlin talking to Gareau about someone called Bruce and "it appears that we're gonna change a pound with the other guy" and to expect someone called Robbie anytime "he needs to measure something, right" and "so give him the little ones, right . . .okay." Gareau said she didn't know what he was talking about.

McLoughlin mentioned someone called John and Gareau said "didn't . . .didn't John make a specific, a . . . request for that." McLoughlin replied "yeah, well he . . . a . . .he did, . . .um . . . four singly and one . . . and one as a lump."

In another call, the transcript has McLoughlin telling "Rob" that "you must remember your telephone talk" and "you'll hang you know . . . ah . . we'll all hang."

A-G office gets nod to hire 36 workers

The provincial cabinet has authorized Auditor-General Erma Morrison to hire staff.

An order-in-council made public Tuesday permits the hiring of 36 people including four audit directors and six audit managers.

A separate order-in-council transfers from the comptroller-general to the auditor-general the statutory duty of conducting an audit of various boards, committees, authorities, universities and funds.

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Saanich orders look

An application by Webb and Trace to dump an unspecified amount of fill on agricultural land in the Blenkinsop Valley was received by Saanich council Monday and promptly referred to the public works committee for investigation and a report to council.

The permit, which must be approved by the B.C. Land Commission as well as council, would cover 30,000 cubic yards of fill dumped on the trucking firm's Blenkinsop Road property two months ago.

The company recently unveiled plans for a major expansion of its fill operation. It wants to level between 80,000 and 90,000 yards of fill, covered by 6,400 yards of topsoil to a maximum depth of 23 feet.

Aldermen agreed that many more questions needed to be answered before they could consider the request.

The commission ordered a halt to dumping of fill on the property Oct. 3 and the order is still in effect.

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The B.C. government has bought $100 million in B.C. Hydro bonds under a cabinet order made public Tuesday.

The bond issue, which expires Dec. 15, 2002, will pay 9 3/8 per cent.

Deputy Finance Minister Gerry Bryson said the issue was authorized by the Legislature earlier this year when Hydro's borrowing powers were extended an additional $650 million.

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Today is the last chance to send a little happiness to 500 of Greater Victoria's neediest families.

The Colonist 500 Christmas Fund, now in its 21st year, cannot accept donations after 5 p.m. today because the cheques for what the Victoria Christmas Bureau has found to be the most deserving cases must go out Thursday.

Real estate receiving offices should have their final contributions in by 3 p.m. today.

Money can't buy most of us happiness, but it can be a warming gift for families who will be on the receiving end of the generosity of contributors to the 500 Fund because most of them are in dire financial straits. And that's no way to be at Christmas.

Most recipients who write to thank donors to the fund say the money has been spent on food for the Christmas table, or on presents for the little ones. However it goes, the money brings a little light and hope into homes that otherwise would be bleak at Yuletide.

Contributions come from the most amazing places. For example, the penny tin at View Royal Volunteer Fire Department gave up its annual treasure of $31.06 in coppers, the C.O.S.Y. organization (city police-supported group called City Organization Supporting Youth raised $100 through dances, rock-a-thons, car washes and other efforts.

The 500 Fund

To match the salesmen's contribution, the Greater Victoria Real Estate Board donated $500, and Victoria Press business office chipped in $20.

Gordon Head and Quadra elementary schools both delivered cheques Tuesday from their fund-raising efforts, $125 from Quadra and $150 from Gordon Head; David Cameron elementary held a penny drive and raised $136.98, while Cordova Bay elementary chipped in $69.25.

B.C. Ferries pay office raised $395.50, while the Victoria Ladies Curling Club raised $34.

Donations may be made through the Victoria Press office at 2621 Douglas to postal code V8W 2N4.

In addition, Avis Rent-a-Car at 638 Humboldt and 1420 Quadra, are receiving donations.

Seventeen real estate offices throughout Greater Victoria are prepared to accept donations to the fund. They are:

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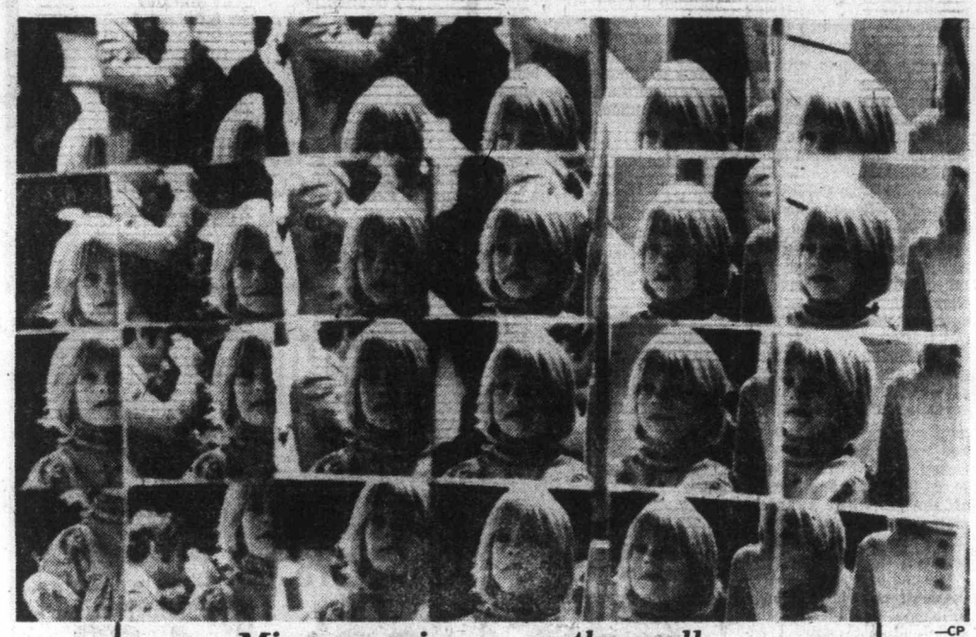

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Mirrors, mirrors on the wall . . .

Bryan McCrossan, 5, gazes at basic solar furnace made of dozens of mirrored squares during visit to Ontario Science Centre in Toronto. The furnace, part of energy exhibit, and Starlab, a small planetarium, were two displays opened by Ontario Premier William Davis Tuesday.

Bennett stalks CP over train pullout

'Go to cabinet if necessary'

By JIM HUME
Colonist Reporter

Premier Bennett Tuesday ordered provincial legal counsel to pursue "every avenue of appeal" against the latest Canadian Transport Commission ruling on the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway. *(See also Page 11.)*

Last week the CTC gave CP Rail permission to discontinue its Dayliner passenger run between Victoria and Courtenay, effective Jan. 31.

Bennett expressed anger and dismay at the CTC ruling and said he was requesting an immediate "stay" of the ruling pending an appeal which, he said, he will take through the courts to the federal cabinet if need be.

Having won the battle of the bridges earlier this year (CP Rail was ordered to repair two bridges north of Parksville at a cost of $2.2 million and to resume freight service to that point), Bennett said he had been confident the passenger service would continue.

He said his government would continue to battle CPR until a fair deal was obtained for the people of B.C.

"We have just began to fight," Bennett said.

He warned CPR that while all of the original land grant of 2.1 million acres (1½ times the size of the province of Prince Edward Island) connected with the E&N had been sold or transferred to CPR subsidiaries there was considerable land involved in a right-of-way between Osoyoos and Okanagan Falls in the south Okanagan.

In the fight, Bennett said, he wouldn't hesitate to claim the Okanagan land plus adequate compensation.

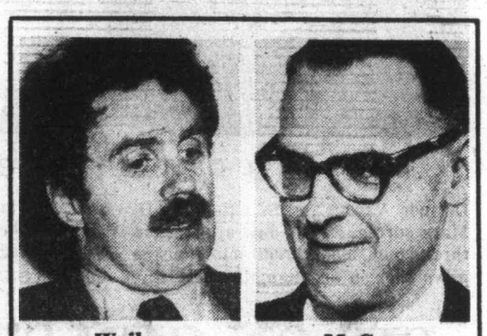
Between 1946 and 1974, the E&N netted $136,872,358 in timber land sales "for an area approximately equivalent to one-third of the total and grant," Bennett said. "If one third of the land grant yields $136 million, then possibly the sale of the whole land grant has yielded in excess of $300 million."

Bennett said he was confident the CPR did not lose money on its entire Vancouver Island operation but instead showed a substantial profit.

"The company has not released detailed accounting on the E&N operation since 1928, Bennett said. "They keep telling us what they lose on the passenger service, I wonder when they are going to tell us what they make on the freight?"

Up to 1928 the CPR always made public a set of accounting books devoted exclusively to the E&N. Since 1928, the E&N accounting has been amalgamated with the general accounting of CPR making it impossible, without company cooperation, to ascertain the E&N profit and loss picture.

The premier noted that the last big land sale involving the E&N took place in 1969 when 86,000 acres were sold for $12.9 million. "The income that could be derived from that one sale alone would be more than enough to offset the annual losses of the passenger service — with more to spare," Bennett said.



Weiler . . . rejects claim — *McGeer* . . . union remarks

McGeer must face charges, board rules

VANCOUVER (CP) — Paul Weiler, chairman of the B.C. Labor Relations Board, has rejected Education Minister Pat McGeer's claim that the board has no jurisdiction over him because of parliamentary privilege.

The ruling, made public Tuesday, said McGeer must answer to union charges before the board that he committed unfair labor practices.

Weiler said unfair practice complaints were laid against McGeer and other department officials in connection with statements made regarding the faculty union at Notre Dame University in Nelson.

McGEER ORIGINALLY went to court for a ruling that the labor board had no jurisdiction, but recently dropped that case and sought a ruling that he has absolute privilege outside the Legislature.

Weiler ruled the Constitution Act of B.C. gave privilege only to statements in the Legislature. Weiler said his analysis of legal authorities here and in British common law made it clear that parliamentary privilege could not be applied in this case.

"These alleged comments simply are too remote from any proceedings in the provincial Legislature, either in terms of geography or of content," Weiler said.

HE ALSO SAID that "freedom of speech outside the legislative assembly is ultimately subject to some legal restraints, designed to protect the freedoms of other individuals.

"Typically, the law has been used to protect an individual's right to be free from defamatory comments injuring his reputation," Weiler said. "In this case, the law in question—section five of the labor code—protects the employee's right to be from heavy-handed intimidation, intended to influence him to give up his trade union.

Weiler said he would call a further hearing to reach a judgment on whether McGeer's statements made at Nelson "were the legitimate exercise of free speech on matters of public concern, or whether they strayed across the boundaries of wrongful coercion of union members."

Consumer to help Syncrude

OTTAWA (CP) — Legislation introduced in the Commons Tuesday gives the government authority to levy a charge of up to $1 a barrel on crude oil to help subsidize production of synthetic oil in Alberta.

But the energy department says it expects the charge "will not exceed 15 cents to 20 cents a barrel." That amount will add about half a cent to the price of a gallon of gasoline or heating oil.

The department makes no mention of when the levy will come into force, but presumably it will be needed by spring, when Syncrude Canada Ltd. begins production of synthetic oil from the tar sands of northeastern Alberta.

The department says the charge will be imposed on all crude oil refined in Canada, and on oil products imported into the country.

When governments were forced to step in during 1975 to save the $2-billion Syncrude project from collapse, Ottawa agreed to allow the company world prices for its products — currently about $4 above the frozen domestic price.

The legislation gives the government the power to make subsidy payments to refiners of Syncrude oil, in

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B.C. POLICE TO CARRY WADCUTTER BULLETS

Municipal police forces in British Columbia will be issued a new type of ammunition, Inspector Bill Nichol of the B.C. Police Commission said Tuesday.

Nichol said the wadcutter bullet has more stopping power, because it creates a bigger shock on impact, but is much safer than the round-nosed bullet now used, because it will not pass through targets as easily.

He said most police chiefs were happy with the change in ammunition and hoped it might save lives.

A standardization of regulations governing the discharge of firearms has also been introduced, Nichol said, adding that while the new regulations do not differ much from the old ones the forces now have one set of guidelines to follow.

The new regulations, made public in an order-in-council Tuesday, authorize the chief constable or a police officer designated by him to empower officers to carry, for a special purpose, firearms and ammunition different from those referred to in the government regulations.

Without such permission, special weapons are banned.

The regulations also set out the circumstances under which a policeman may draw and use his revolver. He may do so:

- Defending his life or the life of another person;
- Effecting the apprehension of a person whom he has reasonable and probable grounds for believing is dangerous;
- Giving an alarm or calling for assistance for an important purpose, where no other means can be used;
- Warning a person in order to gain control of a situation which the officer believes may result in death or serious bodily harm to any person.

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Newfies think U.S. tie 'fine'

HALIFAX (CP) — Newfoundland Liberal leader William Rowe said Tuesday he believed most Newfoundlanders felt the U.S. would be as good an alliance as confederation with Canada.

That attitude would probably not change no matter what Quebec did, Rowe told reporters.

Rowe said Newfoundlanders, when faced with the prospect of Quebec separation, first suggested it might be a good idea to get together with the U.S.

The newly-elected Liberal leader said there was no noticeable attitude about not co-operating with Atlantic Canada, but such co-operation wasn't the first thing that came into people's minds.

Fire sweeps space base, 3 dead

VANDENBERG AIR FORCE BASE, Calif. (AP) — Three men—including the base commander—were killed Tuesday as an erratic, wind-tossed brush fire burned across the Vandenberg rocket base.

Base commander Col. Joseph Turner and two unidentified men died fighting the 1,000-acre blaze as it burned quickly through hilly brush land and 150 kilometres an hour winds carried sparks to unburned areas.

A base spokesman, Capt. Leonard Brady, said Turner was leading firefighting efforts when he was killed.

Brady said the blaze, which initially threatened three space launch facilities in the southern part of the base, appeared to be burning past or around the structures as north to northwest winds sent flames toward the Santa Ynez River.

He said the fire started when the violent winds ripped loose a power line and sent a shower of sparks into the tinder-dry brush.

Turner's burned body was found near a space launch section at the base and the two other victims were found nearby, Brady said.

Because of poor communications from the mountainous fire area, it was not known whether any of the launch facilities—one of which contained a booster rocket—actually had been touched by the flames, officials said.

Brady said the concrete-and-steel facilities were flame-resistant.

The fire, of undetermined cause, started about 8 a.m. on the north side of Tranquillon Mountain, near Arguillo Point. Personnel and rocket fuel were quickly removed from the three threatened missile launch sites.

No missiles were in position on this western U.S. rocket range which is used for launching both U.S. and western European satellites.

Brady said rocket fuel was removed from some pads ahead of the fire. But at other pads the fuel was left in tanks.

Backs apartheid, minister sacked

CANBERRA (Reuter) — Prime Minister Malcolm Fraser today dismissed a new cabinet minister, Glenister Sheil, for openly supporting apartheid in South Africa.

Sheil, given the veterans affairs portfolio Monday following Fraser's overwhelming victory in the Dec. 10 general election, called for apartheid in Australia to allow the separate development of the country's native aborigines.

Sheil, in radio and television interviews over the last 24 hours, has reaffirmed his support of apartheid policies in South Africa and the white minority government in Rhodesia.

Christmas in the air.
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Christmas Greetings to all
PETER POLLEN FORD

Bennett orders Oak Bay voters' list update

By JIM HUME
Colonist Reporter

Premier Bennett said Tuesday he had instructed the chief electoral officer for B.C. to "hold an enumeration, or do whatever is necessary to bring the Oak Bay voters' list up to date."

The premier said he wanted the voters' list as "full and accurate" as possible for "this important byelection." Conservative MLA Scott Wallace is stepping down.

Asked specifically if he had authorized an enumeration (a full and official voter count) the premier answered "yes, and he (the chief electoral officer) has assured me that, if he deems so they can do it in the reasonable time limits that have been suggested."

The premier has also set Jan. 5, following a regular cabinet meeting, as the day he will announce the byelection date.

Asked later if Jan. 5 was the day he would issue the election writ "or just the day you will announce the day the writ will be issued," the premier said the announcement would be "important, and there will be other important announcements at the same time."

Bennett repeated his earlier promise that the people of the Oak Bay constituency "will be represented when the next session of the Legislature is called" but wouldn't confirm when that session would be called.

The Oak Bay Social Credit Constituency Association has not yet stated when it will hold its nominating meeting. With two candidates, Frank Carson and Brian Smith already in the ring, Bennett said he wouldn't be surprised "if other candidates came forward."

He also confirmed that the Social Credit constitution states that before anyone can vote at a nomination meeting they must have held a party card for at least 30 days.

"Our party makes provision to ensure that members are really interested before they can vote," Bennett said. "It's a fair time limit and it has never been controversial — and it does prevent the type of (nomination meeting) packing that could go on with other parties."

When pressed for a more specific date for the actual byelection, the premier said he "anticipated that there would be enough time for the two candidates who have announced at this time, and others I have heard may announce to seek the nomination, to carry out a full campaign.

"I'm sure the (Oak Bay) executive will keep that in mind in timing the nomination meeting."

In response to those statements the Colonist asked:

"Depending on what you decide to tell us on Jan. 5, maybe the (nomination) campaign is over right now?"

Bennett replied: "No, no it's not."

When it was suggested that 30 days from Jan. 5 was Saturday, Feb. 4, and therefore a likely day for the Oak Bay nomination meeting, Bennett laughed, but declined comment.

Working on the basis of the dates given and the positive statements made indications are that an enumeration will be announced in January, final nominations held early in February with voting day late February or early March and the 1978 session starting mid-March.

Melchoir, Balthasar and Gaspar, not necessarily in order

Jewelled tree has medieval look

Mrs. McMullen

Decorations with a difference

Not all of us get caught with last-minute things to do for Christmas.

Take Mrs. R. A. McMullen, of 9055 Ardmore, who began efforts to create something different for her home in the way of Yuletide tableaux a couple of months ago.

Her remarkable creations are the result of many hours work, how many she hasn't bothered to tote up, but they're so good we thought we'd share them with you.

The bejewelled three kings from the Orient look like authentic gilt medieval sculptures, but looks are deceiving.

Mrs. McMullen bought the faces and hands, arranged their positions on a wire framework, then covered them with a heavily-sized material available in craft stores called drape and shape. Moistened, it can be folded or molded into shape and it stays that way when dry.

Three coats of white gesso followed, with a spray coating of gilt and finally an antiquing process before the baubles, of the dime-store variety, were glued on. The gift-boxes of frankincense, gold and myrrh for the infant Jesus she carved from styrofoam.

The Christmas tree contains 40 miniature lights which refract and reflect off the jewels. The tree is mounted on red velvet glued to a 21 by 26 inch panel. Her husband did the wiring for the lights.

Then there are her friends, the Stratford Christmas carollers. The background is a blown-up poster made from slides taken in Shakespeare's hometown; the foreground of cotton batten; the lampshade a gift made especially by a neighbor.

Her "friends" are made from styrofoam balls mounted on bottles and trimmed with odds and ends of fabric.

"I had a lot of fun doing this. There's a lot of improvisation — string when I ran out of lace, for example, but necessity is the mother of invention," Mrs. McMullen said.

—Colonist photos by Alex Berta

Stratford Carollers in full voice

Hospital remedy in sight

By PAUL De GROOT
Colonist Reporter

A compromise solution suggested by a rookie member of the hospital and health planning commission could open the way to agreement on the future of Victoria General Hospital.

Victoria Ald. Robert Wright, attending his first meeting of the commission on Tuesday, proposed:

- Continuing with plans for a 300-bed hospital on Helmcken Road, including combined pediatrics and obstetrics services.
- Continuing acute-care, surgical, and ambulatory-care functions at Victoria General's present site, using 135 to 150 beds at the hospital which can meet modern hospital standards.
- Relocating 70 beds currently planned for the Helmcken Road hospital to Royal Jubilee, to compensate for the pediatric beds which it would lose to the Helmcken Road hospital.

The proposal was worked out over the last week in consultation with doctors, regional officials and directors, and health ministry personnel, including the minister, Wright said.

His proposals are an attempt to resolve the controversy over the region's hospitals without exceeding health ministry acute-care bed allocations for the region or the budget for the new facilities.

Wright
. . .his compromise

Combining pediatrics and obstetrics at the Helmcken Road hospital in the first phase of its construction is an attempt to satisfy the region's pediatricians who have argued persistently against waiting for the second phase of construction on the Helmcken Road hospital to put them together.

Wright's suggestion to retain acute-care services at the downtown site of Victoria General meets objections from doctors and residents of the surrounding areas to complete removal of acute care services in the area.

Most give nod

Wright's submission got a generally positive reception from the commission, which agreed to Wright's recommendations in principle and sent them on to its advisory medical and resources committees for comment.

Objections to the proposal came from commission members Betty Kennedy and Terry Prentice.

Changes in the makeup of the new hospital, now only two months away from start of construction, should be cleared with the architects and with hospital staff who have carefully worked out the relationships between hospital functions, Mrs. Kennedy said.

"If we send our advisory committees this report with our approval in principle, we're telling them 'we buy it, now prove that we are right.'" Prentice said.

He added that the committees should meet separately this time, to avoid confusing their responsibilities.

If they come back with different conclusions, the commission is responsible for coming up with the final answer, Prentice said.

The medical profession was guarded, but generally positive in its response to Wright's proposal.

Outspoken pediatrician Dr. Basil Boulton, who attended the meeting, said he had mixed feelings about the proposal, "but I do feel that I have been a voice crying in the wilderness, and someone has recognized that voice."

"But I'm serving notice on the politicians here and now that they have got to be prepared to get us the facilities we need to give the best care for children."

That includes, Boulton said, facilities to diagnose and treat cancer, kidney heart, brain, muscle and other diseases, and the social services that children need, without necessitating an ambulance transfer.

The compromise proposal, while not guaranteeing that, is a "giant step in the right direction," Boulton said.

Wright's suggestion is in some respects the opposite of what Victoria Medical Society president Dr. Douglas Critchley had proposed at a press conference last week — renovation of Victoria General hospital on its present site, and construction of a small acute-care facility in the Langford Colwood area.

That proposal was based on population and patient surveys indicating which areas of the region make heaviest use of Victoria General at present.

But the medical society's proposal looked like it was getting nowhere fast, Critchley admitted, and while it does not meet all of the doctor's objections, Wright's compromise has the advantage of retaining acute-care services in the downtown area, unlike the current plans.

"Safety is our main concern. With this proposal, any acute emergency that happens in that area can be looked after. That is the important point."

Shoal Bay park bylaw stalls

Oak Bay council delayed third reading Tuesday night of a bylaw that would permanently dedicate the site once proposed as the Shoal Bay sewage pump station as parkland.

Mayor Brian Smith used his tie-breaking vote after aldermen split 2-2 on whether to give the bylaw that would create Rattenbury Park third reading, after concerns were raised by Ald. Neil Swainson.

Swainson said the questions of right-of-way for the northeast trunk sewer, which runs through the property, and possible widening of Beach Drive, were still unresolved.

The bylaw was given first reading in 1976 after controversy broke out over a proposal by the Capital Region Board to build a major pump station to pump the output from the northeast trunk sewer over to Clover Point to join the outfall now under construction there.

Smith said he understood committee A, in charge of lands, had reviewed the bylaw and found it satisfactory.

Council also approved a recommendation from the parks and recreation commission that rents for private groups using the ice arena be increased from $30 to $35 an hour between 6 a.m. and midnight and from $25 to $30 an hour from midnight to 6 a.m.

Council referred to its estimates committee the proposed budget of the Greater Victoria Public Library system, with Ald. Shirley Dowell observing there was an item of $102,000 for four months' rental of the new library premises in the budget "when the lease hasn't even been approved yet."

The $102,000 addition to the budget assumes the central library will move into new premises leased from the provincial government as of Sept. 1, 1978.

If the library budget is approved unscathed, Oak Bay's share of the total budget next year would be $227,033, compared to $214,832 in 1977. The library's total proposed budget for next year is $2,352,566, up 15.5 per cent from 1977's $2,036,520.

TENTATIVE PLAN FOR NEW HOTEL

A tentative proposal for a major hotel complex with convention facilities has been submitted to Victoria city hall by Saanich businessman Henry Eng.

The development is to go ahead at the west side of the Inner Harbor, south of Johnson Street Bridge.

Deputy city planner Peter Crisp said Tuesday the city had received nothing more than an introductory letter indicating the developer was prepared to put together a comprehensive proposal for development of the property which now houses one of Eng's Warehouse food stores.

Eng couldn't be reached for comment.

'Doctors left out in the cold'

Regular consultation needed

Changes will have to be made in the regional hospital and health planning commission's committee system to make it more responsible, two Victoria physicians said Tuesday.

The commission's two main committees are the resources development committee, made up mainly of hospital administrative staff from hospitals in the region, and the health services committee, made up of doctors. The committees usually meet together, and their minutes are carefully perused at meetings of the hospital and health planning commission.

One problem is that the Victoria Medical Society, which represents about 75 per cent of the doctors in the region, has no official status with the commission, the society's president, Dr. Doug Critchley, said Tuesday.

"They set up their own medical advisory committee, and appointed doctors to sit on it on their own."

That lack of input has resulted in poor communication between the doctors and the commission with serious consequences for both sides, Critchley said.

"We don't get notices of meetings, agendas, or minutes from the commission. The doctors of the region have been left out in the cold."

Regional officials have been complaining recently that the doctors are only now making their feelings about the hospital situation known well after planning for a new hospital has been completed, and only months before digging on the site begins.

"We've been giving our opinions for 10 years," Critchley said. "But we've been doing it through the press, and that's no way to work with the hospital board and set something up for the region."

Critchley was not critical toward hospital board chairman Art Young, who said last weekend he was disappointed with the doctors tardiness in making proposals to the region in hospital planning.

"He may have been forced into that conclusion by the rules of the game."

With regular consultation between the region and the medical society "all the doctors could have gotten into the act, and wouldn't have things suddenly revealed to them," Critchley said.

"That is just basic business sense."

Dr. Basil Boulton, a pediatrician who announced his resignation from the health services committee after it went against his advice regarding regional pediatric facilities, said Tuesday his attitude toward the committee could be changed if it became less political.

"If the committee is prepared to make decisions based on objective medical finding, I would of course be willing to stay on."

Boulton may get a chance to find out if the committee has changed when it meets next month to discuss a compromise proposal on regional hospital construction put forward by Victoria Ald. Robert Wright.

Since the commission has no regular meeting this month, it has had no opportunity to accept his resignation, submitted the day after the November meeting, and he will continue to be a member of the health services committee at least until the January meeting of the commission.